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YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 61 deg.; minimum, 42 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., west, velocity 12 miles. At midnight the temperature was 52 deg.; clear.

TODAY: At 5 a.m. the temperature was 50 deg.; clear.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair; warmer; light north wind.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; warmer; light northwest wind.

[The complete Weather Report, including Comparative Temperatures, will be found on page 8.]

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AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Hoffman, J. Arbella; Grand Union, Mrs. M. T. Stumpel; St. Denis, W. R. Smythe of San Diego.

HOSTILE FORCES IN MOTION.

Trans-Baikal Cossacks Arrive at Newchwang and the Japanese Cavalry Takes Sun Chun.

Gen. Kouropatkin's Departure for Liao Yang Leads to the Belief That He Will Not Wait for the Enemy but Will Invade Korea.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEWCHWANG, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Four squadrons of the First Regiment of the Trans-Baikal Cossacks came south from Liao Yang, and were dispatched west toward the Chinese quarter, under direct orders from Gen. Kouropatkin. There are 23,000 men of all kinds at Liao Yang, most of whom have seen service in the Balkans.

Military commanders are acting on the belief that the Japanese invasion is in force well to the northeast of Port Arthur in the bay of Korea. Artillery and infantry went through this city today to Kai Ping, and from that station will march southeast to protect the coast line west of Takuchan. Failure by the Japanese to invade any vital point up to this time has been of great service to the Russian commanders.

OCCUPATION OF SUN CHUN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHEEFOO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Tuesday evening, four squadrons of the First Tokio Cavalry occupied Sun Chun. There was no trace of Russian forces near the town, but the inhabitants reported that Cossacks had kept along the valley some distance west of the old Peking road toward Wiju. It will be impossible for the Russians to cross the river at that point, as four Japanese cruisers are now commanding the river there. The belief is that the Cossacks went east toward Masandong, and will run the risk of crossing to the northeast, not far from the Japanese cavalry base at Kusung.

ST. PETERSBURG RUMORS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The departure of Gen. Kouropatkin for Liao Yang confirms the opinion of those who believed that, instead of waiting for the Japanese to advance, as popularly imagined, he will at once proceed to tackle the enemy in Korea. Today, this town is full of reports. One is that the Mikado is going to Seoul to head his army. Another tells of the discovery of a plot to overthrow the Korean dynasty, while the third reports the arrival of 100,000 Japanese at Yinkow.

Finally, comes the almost unnecessary assertion that Sweden has no agressive intentions, her warlike demonstrations being merely what she considers necessary for the preservation of her rights of neutrality, and are not meant as a menace for Russia.

MANY JAPANESE KILLED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, April 1.—The correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at Seoul reports that there is continuous skirmishing between Ping Yang and Wiju, and that many Japanese have been killed. The correspondent adds that a Korean spy at Ping Yang has been shot by the Japanese.

LULL IN OPERATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHEMULPO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The lull in the operations of the Japanese land forces, which, except for slight skirmishes in the vicinity of the Yalu, have not yet come into touch with the enemy, is due to two causes:

First, the weather, which, with the break-up of ice and melting snows, has caused a state of affairs seriously hampering Japanese movements. This condition was naturally foreseen by the Japanese; nevertheless, it is much worse than was anticipated. Consequently, the landing of troops has been a very dangerous proceeding, and has not progressed with the dispatch anticipated.

Secondly, the forces of the Mikado are advancing in the most circumspect and methodical fashion at each step, and they are careful to leave behind fortified bases and stores of provisions and ammunitions, while at the same time ingratiating themselves, so far as possible, with the natives, and overcoming opposition wherever it is manifested.

No movements of any magnitude are expected for some weeks.

ANOTHER "BOTTLE" RUMOR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Times has a late dispatch from the London Times' Wei Hai Wei correspondent saying Japan has nearly closed Port Arthur and describes the last attempt to block the harbor.

REQUESTED GEN. ALLEN'S RETURN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEOUL, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Japanese military authorities have requested Gen. Allen, United States military attache, to return from Ping Yang to Seoul until the completion of arrangements enables them to make fitting accommodation and to make provision for foreign military representatives at the front.

RUSSIANS SEIZE AN ARSENAL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PEKING, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gen. Tseng Chi, commanding Chinese troops in Manchuria, sends information that the Russians have seized an arsenal at Kirin, between Harbin and Mukden. They are using the arsenal to manufacture ammunition which they are turning out ceaselessly. Gen. Tseng Chi states also that the Russians intend to raise a body of 5000 Mongol or Chinese troops to relieve the Russian guards engaged in patrolling the Manchurian Railway.

JAPANESE STEAMED INTO THE INFERNO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, April 1.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A correspondent of the Times at sea, in a wireless telegram via Wei Hai Wei, describing the last attempt of the Japanese to bottle up Port Arthur, says:

"After the bombardment of March 22, Vice-Admiral Togo waited until better weather before attempting to bottle up Port Arthur. The officers who conducted the first attempt insisted upon their right to complete their work. The admiral consented, and the same officers were chosen, but the crews and stokers were selected from new volunteers.

"The moon disappeared at midnight, and the sea was like glass when the desperate enterprise was begun. When within two miles of the goal, the [illegible] squadron of the enemy [illegible] awakened, and suddenly a military gun announced that the Japanese had been discovered. The Russians sprang to the guns of the batteries, and in three minutes the Japanese craft were enclosed in a semi-circle of gun flashes. The sea was churned to a turmoil by falling shells, but there was no hesitation. The torpedo boats opened out and the transports, with the men standing at the lifeboat stations, steered directly into the inferno. There was then only a mile to traverse, and the safety fuses were ready.

"It was just at 3:30 o'clock in the morning when the Chiyo Maru led, with a searchlight beating upon her, and she was a target for a hundred guns toward the east side of the entrance. The fuses were set, and the crew pushed off just in time. It was a moment of suspense. The charge exploded, sinking her 100 yards from a point of the east side of the entrance.

"The Fukui Maru next passed on the port side of the Chiyo Maru, and dropped anchor. Just as the officers and crew pushed clear, there was a dull explosion. She had been struck and sunk in the exact place which the Japanese desired by a torpedo from within the harbor.

"So close were the defending destroyers that the Yenemaya Maru was fouled by a Russian destroyer, and her crew was scorched by the flame from the discharges of a Russian six-pounder.

"It was a horrible melée, but the Japanese kept their presence of mind throughout, and their steadiness was shown by the fact that, before she had been fouled by the destroyer, the Yenemaya Maru passed to the starboard of the Chiyo Maru and then between her and the Fukui Maru, and reached the center of the channel, where she was hit by a torpedo which sank her on the west side of the channel, her bow pointing toward the shore. Not a man on the [illegible] was injured.

"The [illegible] failed completely to block the channel, because there were only four transports. It is probable, however, that the channel has been rendered impracticable for the large battleships, and it is certain that the Japanese will not rest until the channel has been closed.

"The maneuver was covered by a torpedo division which, running in close, endeavored to draw the fire of the land batteries from the main enterprise. This division remained in action until all the crews were rescued, and just before daybreak was engaging a Russian destroyer, which remained at the entrance, firing torpedoes during the night. The scream of escaping steam proclaimed that the Russian boat had been damaged in her vitals.

"At daybreak, the flotilla drew off under cover of the fleet, which was waiting ten miles outside."

In closing, the correspondent describes the bravery and death of commander Hirose, who had recently been promoted for sinking the Tokoku Maru further up the entrance of Port Arthur, on February 24, and of whom, he says, the Japanese are justly proud.

AMERICANS SUBSCRIBE FUNDS FOR JAPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, March 31.—[By Asiatic Cable.] 6 p.m. At a meeting of Americans and Japanese, held in this city to day, in commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the signing of the Perry treaty between Japan and the United States, an American war charity, called the Perry Memorial Relief Fund, was organized with much enthusiasm. The sum of $37,500 was subscribed at once, and it was decided to organize committees in all the larger cities of the United States. The fund will be turned over to a minister of the Imperial household, and it will be disbursed under the direction of the Emperor of Japan, particularly for the purpose of aiding the destitute families of soldiers and sailors.

Count Okuma, at one time Japanese Premier, made the principal address at the commemoration exercises. He said that as the Japanese became more familiar with the people of the United States, they could not but admire them for their love of justice and humanity which were such prominent national traits.

Bishop McKim of the American Episcopal Mission suggested the organization of the charity. He said the memorial to Perry would not be graven on a pillar of stone, but on the hearts of the two great peoples. Charity is beyond the pale of politics, the speaker continued, and this movement has no significance except as an appeal to those broad humanitarian sympathies which make a universal brotherhood over all the earth.

Bishop McKim's proposal was at once approved and acted upon. The American Asiatic Society, he added, had aided the subscription list with $5000. Baron Iwasakwa and Baron Mitsui also gave $5000 each. Prince Shimazu, head of the Satsuma clan, and Prince Mori, head of the Choshu clan, subscribed $2500 each. J. W. Copmann and D. O. Blake gave $1000 each, and Count Inouye, Count Matsugata, Count Okuma and United States Minister Griscom subscribed $500 each.

N. F. Smith, president of the American Asiatic Society, J. W. Copmann, the representative in Tokio of the Standard Oil Company; B. C. Howard of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company; D. O. Blake of the American Trading Company; Prof. J. O. Swift and Count Kabayama, president of the Soyeda Industrial Bank, were appointed a committee to take charge of the fund.

Count Matsugata proposed cheers for the President of the United States and Minister Griscom responded by calling for cheers for the Emperor of Japan. There were demonstrations of satisfaction when the total of the subscriptions was announced, and the meeting was brought to a close with the singing of the national anthems of the United States and Japan.

BITTER CORRESPONDENT.

VICKSBURG INCIDENT AGAIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, March 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A correspondent of the Russ, who has just returned from Korea, writes that he knows from official sources that the commander of the Vicksburg did not join in the protest of the other commanders against the Japanese entering the port to engage the Variag and Koreiets, and later after the fight, when the Vicks-

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MASKED MEN HOLD UP OREGON EXPRESS.

Dynamite Car, Kill Messenger and Get Away With the Treasure.

Fall Upon Train While Taking Water, Cut it in Two, Take Part Down Track Short Distance, Where They Rob it, After Which, at Point of Guns, They Compel Engineer to Help Them Escape.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

REDDING, March 31.—Three masked men held up the Oregon Express at Copley, ten miles north of here, at 11 o'clock tonight, and killed Express Messenger O'Neill and carried off the contents of the express box. The train is now known as No. 15 and stopped at Copley, a small station, for water. The robbers blew up the car and killed the messenger before getting the treasure box. Then the highwaymen forced the train crew to uncouple the front engine and compelled its engineer to draw them to Keswick station, five miles south, where they disembarked and disappeared. The engine has orders now to run on to this city to carry up the Sheriff and a posse of armed men.

R. H. Joesink, the engineer, who was forced to draw the train robbers to Keswick station, arrived here with his light engine at midnight to take back Sheriff Richardson and a posse of eight men. Joesink says that after stopping at Copley the noise of drawing water drowned the noise of the shots that must have been fired in the express car, as W. J. O'Neill, the messenger, was killed by a bullet. Presumably, the three masked men attempted to rob the express car and the messenger made a fight.

The first that Joesink knew of the hold-up was after O'Neill was killed. He and his fireman, J. F. Stury, were compelled to dismount. They, with E. A. Bissle, engineer of the second engine, A. Raymond, a fireman, Jack Depanger, conductor of the train and a brakeman, were compelled to march back to the express car, where they saw O'Neill dead.

The robbers tried to force O'Neill's helper, who was in the baggage car when O'Neill was killed, to open the safe, but the helper showed that he could not do so. Then the robbers compelled the party of seven to place six sticks of giant powder on top of the safe. Then they had a heavy box set on the dynamite, to which a fuse was ordered attached. Then all but one of the robbers left the car. He lighted the fuse. The party had just reached the locomotive when the explosion occurred. It wrecked the entire car.

Engineer Joesink is not certain that the robbers got any plunder. He was made to get up on his engine and stay there until further orders came. They were forced to carry the highwayman south. His engine had been uncoupled, he knows not by whom. He complied with the order, but was not allowed to even take his fireman along. The robbers stood at his back on the trip down, their rifles pressing against him, and he dared not look around. He says if they had any plunder he did not see it.

They told him as they pulled out from the scene of the hold-up that they wanted to be carried to Keswick Station, five miles south, but as they neared that station they told the engineer to run right on by that station to a point a couple of hundred yards south of there, where a bridge spans the river, which lies just east of the track. When he stopped, they alighted on the river side. To the west of the track, at that point, lies the smelter town of Keswick. The robbers evidently wanted to convey the impression that they would cross the river on the bridge. The officers believe that they made straight for Keswick.

Engineer Joesink backed his engine to Keswick Station, reported and received orders to run to Redding and get Sheriff Richardson and eight men. At 12:30, he started back with his heavily-armed crew. There being neither telephone nor telegraphic communication possible with Copely, the details of the killing of the messenger cannot be learned until the train that was held up pulls south.

SACRAMENTO VERSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, March 31.—Just before 11 o'clock, as the south-bound train reached Copely, near Keswick, three men boarded the train and soon cut it in two, taking the engine and the express car down the track a short distance. They stopped the engine and demanded that Messenger O'Neill open the express car. He refused, whereupon they blew up the express car with dynamite and deliberately killed O'Neill by shooting him through the head. The bandits then robbed the express car of its contents, but at this point there is no knowledge of how much they got.

After robbing the express car, the men cut the car loose, and, getting on the engine, compelled Engineer Joesink to go ahead. When near Keswick, the men dropped off the engine and disappeared in the night, with their plunder.

It is difficult to obtain particulars, as there is no telegraph operator at Copely and news from that point is telephoned to Keswick and from there telegraphed to Sacramento.

DEFEAT THIBETANS.

Attacking English Mission, Two Engagements Ensue, in Which Mountain People Lose Heavily. Russian Guns on Dead.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TUNA (British India) March 31.—News has been received here of severe fighting, the Thibetans, having attacked the British mission under Col. Younghusband. There were two engagements and the Thibetans were repulsed with heavy loss. The British captured the Thibetans' camp at Guru.

While the British advance has practically been unopposed, the expedition suffered great hardship from the intense cold and it was sometimes found impossible to work the Maxim guns and rifles owing to the congealing of the oil. The country was of the bleakest, without a sign of vegetation and the expedition had to face piercing winds and clouds of dust, while there was a heavy fall of snow last night.

At 8 o'clock this morning, a flying column started to reconnoiter the Thibetan camp at Guru, whereupon a general from Lhassa, with a quaint retinue, came to interview Col. Younghusband. The general asked the colonel to retire from his mission to Yatung, threatening an attack if the mission proceeded. Col. Younghusband replied that negotiations had been proceeding fruitlessly for fifteen years and that retirement was now impossible. The Thibetan general withdrew and Col. Younghusband ordered his troops to endeavor to disperse the Thibetans blocking the road, without firing upon them.

For a time the tactics of the British were successful, but after a while the attitude of the Thibetan leaders convinced Col. MacDonald of the necessity of disarming them. The Thibetans numbered about 1500, and their resistance led to a smart engagement. The situation for a few moments was critical, Col. MacDonald and Younghusband being only a few yards from the advancing Thibetans. Revolvers and bayonets were used and then a rifle fire was resorted to, at which the Thibetans fled, but not before several casualties resulted in the British ranks. The correspondent of the Daily Mail was severaly wounded.

The Thibetans lost heavily owing to the inferiority of their weapons, which were matchlock rifles, but they displayed the greatest courage, many of them coming on even after they had been seriously wounded. After the action, there were heaps of dead, a long trail of dead and wounded extending to the rear. After a short halt, the advance continued. Nearing the Thibetan camp at Guru, a second action took place in which the artillery played the largest part.

Finally, the Thibetans retreated over the hills with the exception of about sixty, who obstinately held the village, which was finally taken by a bayonet charge.

Among the Thibetans killed was the Lhassa general, the military commander of Phari and Lata and the representative of the Golden Monastery, to whose influence and violent hostility the existing difficulties were largely due. The Thibetan losses are believed to be over four hundred, while the British casualties were about a dozen.

The British force returned to Tuna this evening and stated that rifles bearing the Russian imperial stamp and Russian ammunition were found on the wounded Thibetan officers.

While the forces were face to face on the opposite of the walls which the Thibetans had built across the highway to oppose the advance, the Indian troops quietly deployed their flanks and effectively enclosed 1500 Thibetans in a circle, like herding sheep. The members of the mission press correspondents and the general staff rode up to inspect the capture and were laughing and talking. They were unaware of the impending tragedy, being evidently heedless of the sullen demeanor of the Thibetans.

The latter presently began to hustle some sikhs, who replied with the butt ends of their rifles. Then the Thibetans fired a pistol, wounding a sikh and this was the signal for all the Thibetans to draw their swords and rush at their captors, who opened fire on the surging mob. The officers emptied their revolvers.

The Thibetans found themselves unable to climb the wall which they themselves had built. Finally, about half of them were able to break away to the rear, where they came under the fire of the artillery. Of the entire Thibetan force, only about half escaped being either killed or wounded.

BIGGEST LIFE POLICY ISSUED.

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] James C. Colgate, a Wall-street broker, has just taken out a life-insurance policy of $1,550,000. This is the largest amount ever issued on one life. George W. Vanderbilt carries the next largest, for $1,000,000.

THE VERY LATEST.

WAR NEWS AFTER MIDNIGHT.

LONDON, April 1.—The Seoul correspondent of the Daily Mail says the military authorities have requested Brig.-Gen. Allen, United States military observer with the Japanese army, to return to Seoul from Ping Yang until they are able to provide fitting accommodations.

CHINA PREFERS NEUTRALITY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, April 1.—The Journal this morning prints an interview which its correspondent at St. Petersburg has had with Secretary Ou of the Chinese legation there, who is in daily communication with Peking. The Secretary said that China was determined to remain neutral so long as the Chinese frontiers were respected. Considerable excitement, the secretary said, had been caused by the Chinese, who were creating disturbances within the area of military operations. All was quiet in Southern China, where the relations between the Chinese and European residents continue to be good. The secretary added that the reports to the effect that the Japanese are enlisting were untrue.

MUST SHOW COLORS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Russian Ambassador Cassini today addressed the following communication to Secretary Hay:

"By order of my government I have to inform Your Excellency that the following announcement has just been made by the commander-in-chief of the Russian fleet in the Pacific Ocean:

"'Any public or private vessel navigating in waters in which military operations are carried on and detected at night without stopping, which, after warning by the firing of a gun, will not show its colors, will be considered as an enemy and sunk.'"

TOTAL RUSSIAN FORCES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, March 31.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Echo de Paris says that the wife of one of Gen. Kouropatkin's orderly officers received a telegram from her husband saying that the General Staff does not believe that there will be any great battle before September.

Russian troops in Manchuria, including Port Arthur and Vladivostok, now number 245,000, and the total may be 300,000 by the end of April and 500,000 by September, when, if the Japanese have not crossed the Yalu, Gen. Kouropatkin will advance and drive them out of Korea.

The only fear in high quarters, according to the writer, is the inability of China to restrain the mass of her troops, or to prevent troops landing in a Chinese port in the event of Japanese successes. Gen. Kouropatkin has telegraphed to Gen. Mishtchenko to avoid any engagements in which the security of the Russian side should be uncertain.

LAST OBSTACLE GONE.

Case of Colombia vs. Panama Canal Company Decided in Favor of Defendants, at Paris.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, March 31.—[1:45 p.m. By Atlantic Cable.] The First Civil Tribunal of the Seine today decided the case of the republic of Colombia against the Panama Canal Company in favor of the defendants. The decision holds that the complaint of Colombia is not receivable, and condemns the plaintiffs to pay the costs of the action. This decision has the effect of removing the legal obstacles in the way of the transfer of the canal concessions from the company to the United States.

The entire costs of the procedure are assessed against the plaintiff. In the suit of Napoleon Bonaparte Wyse, the court decided that the plaintiff had no case, either as the original concessionaire or as a stockholder, and condemned him to pay the costs of the suit. The delivery of the decisions passed off quietly.

The court announced that the other case relative to Colombia's right to hold 50,000 shares of stock will be heard April 12. Although no formal notice of appeal was given, it was stated at the close of the court that Colombia and Bonaparte Wyse the original concessionaire, would appeal. It is said that an appeal will not cause delay, since today's decision is held to confirm the company's full right to transfer to the United States.

The other suit relative to Colombia's right to hold shares does not affect the United States. Therefore, it is the view at the United States Embassy and in other official quarters that today's decision clears away the last obstacle in the way of the transfer of the canal to the United States.

CROMWELL'S STATEMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—William Nelson Cromwell, counsel for the new Panama Canal Company, who is now in Paris, today made, through his firm, Sullivan & Cromwell, the following statement:

"The Civil Tribunal of the Seine, five judges sitting, today pronounced the decision in the suits brought by the republic of Colombia and Napoleon Bonaparte Wyse to enjoin the transfer of the canal company's property to the United States in accordance with the contract. The court, by unanimous decision, dismissed both suits and denied the injunction. It also refused to admit M. Samper to the board of directors of the company, as a representative of Colombia, and refused damages against the company.

"The decision expressly holds that Colombia has lost sovereignty over the isthmus, and the republic of Panama has acquired sovereignty and has recognized and assumed the concessions of the canal company, both by its special instrument addressed to me on November 27 last, which the decision quotes in full, and by the assumption and adoption of this instrument by the constitutional convention. As to the suit by Wyse, the court holds that, as a bondholder, he has already been reported by the mandataire and is bound by the previous decree. As to the original concession, he has no standing and his suit is wholly dismissed.

THE PRESIDENT INFORMED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The President and Atty.-Gen. Knox had a conference today, subsequent to the receipt of information that the government of Colombia had lost its suit in the French courts against the new Panama Canal Company, and that there now was no longer any reason for delay in the transfer of the company's concessions and property to the United States. They discussed carefully the facts of the situation. At the conclusion of the interview, Atty.-Gen. Knox announced that there now was no more reason for delay than might be occasioned by the transfer of a title to a twenty-foot lot in Washington.

IN DARKEST ST. LOUIS.

In Election Outrages, City's Most Prominent Men Were Slugged by Ruffians Under Protection.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, March 31.—The grand jury called some time ago to investigate the alleged assaults perpetrated upon voters during the Democratic primaries on March 12, made a report today, returning indictments against seventeen policemen and John Lavin, a Central Committeeman, charging them with failure to quell the disturbances. The report also severely criticises Gov. Dockery for "allowing the St. Louis police department to be used as a political machine."

The report is couched in temperate language. The members of the grand jury assert in their report that what they say is not actuated by partisanship, as they call attention to the fact that eleven of their number are Democrats, and one is a Republican. The State administration is Democratic.

The grand jury report says that in a partial investigation of the election outrages in the Democratic primaries it found that some of the most prominent men in St. Louis were slugged and beaten by "Indians," in the presence of the police, who did nothing to protect them. The report says that the police, in some precincts at least, were in connivance with the ruffians.

The grand jury appeals to Gov. Dockery to take the police out of politics, and, in effect, recommends that the Governor accept the resignations of the present Police Commissioners by suggesting that a non-partisan board be appointed. The report says that it favors State control of the police department.

OBITUARY.

Henry R. Crothers.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Henry R. Crothers, cashier of the Evening Bulletin, died today as the result of an operation for appendicitis. He was the son of John Crothers of Montreal, and nephew of R. A. Crothers, proprietor and editor of the Bulletin, and had a large circle of friends in this city.

Meinrad Rumely.

LAPORTE (Ind.) March 31.—Meinrad Rumely, a millionaire manufacturer and philanthropist, died today, aged 52 years.

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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—The coinage of gold at the mint in this city since last February was concluded today. Superintendent Leach said:

"The mint has undoubtedly broken all records for gold coinage since the use of money began in civilization. The amount coined this month has reached the enormous sum of $32,113,500, an average of more than $1,000,000 a day; in fact, the deliveries to the superintendent from the coinage department during the last four days averaged $1,550,000 per day. This, with the sum of $21,580,000 coined in February, makes a total of $54,693,500. In weight, this amount would make more than 110 tons, or a little more than four big carloads of twenty-five tons each.

"A research of books and records pertaining to coinage matters fails to show any account of a coinage executed in the same length of time equal to this in any of the other nations of the world.

BOTKIN TRIAL CONTINUES.

JURY SUITS THE PRISONER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—There was another surprise in the Botkin murder trial today. Owing to the charges made yesterday of attempts to tamper with the jurors, it was understood that the first proceeding this morning would be the discharge of the jury. Mrs. Botkin, however, insisted on the trial continuing, stating that she was satisfied that the jury would render a just verdict. The court therefore ordered that the jurybe admitted and trial was resumed.

District Attorney Byington offered in evidence the testimony of Mrs. W. W. Barnes, formerly Mrs. Birdie Price, and Miss Lizzie Livernash, given at the former trial of the case. Both these witnesses are ill. The defense declared that it had no objection to make and the district attorney began reading the testimony of Mrs. Barnes, in 1898, landlady of the Victoria Hotel, where Mrs. Botkin lived. The testimony given by Miss Lizzie A. Livernash of Healdsburg was then read.

Joshua W. Deane, husband of one of the women who was poisoned, was recalled by the prosecution. He stated that the Pennington family had trout for dinner on the day of the tragedy but it did not cause any sickness.

"I have decided not to admit the testimony of Prof. Price, who analyzed some of the candy in this city," said Judge Cook.

The prosecution then rested.

Judge Cook again admonished the jury and informed them that until the end of the trial they must remain together in the care of the sheriff.

Mrs. Botkin's refusal to permit the discharge of the jury put an end temporarily to the investigations of the police for the purpose of ascertaining who attempted to bribe Juror Goetjin.

NO GROUND FOR REVERSAL.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Commenting on the developments in the trial of Mrs. Botkin, District Attorney Byington said today: "There can be no possible ground for a reversal of a verdict of guilty by reason of the developments Tuesday. Whatever objection there could be to the panel from the standpoint of the defense was waived by the action of the defendant in expressly insisting on a continuance of the trial by the present jury."

George A. Knight, attorney for the defense, said: "The acceptance of the present jury was entirely voluntary on the part of my client. I told her that I could not again take up her defense immediately if the jury was dismissed."

GOVERNMENT WINS AGAIN.

POINT IN LAND FRAUD CASE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—The government won its second important point in the technical battle over the alleged land fraud case today, when Commissioner Heacock denied the motion of defendants F. A. Hyde and Henry P. Dimond to dismiss the complaint and discharge them. The same motion was denied last week, but was later renewed on additional grounds.

The defendants today, after entering exceptions to the commissioner's ruling, began the introduction of evidence, announcing their purpose to call all the government's witnesses on whose testimony the indictment was found by the grand jury in the District of Columbia. The principal line of attack on the government's position by the defendants' attorneys has been against the jurisdiction of the court in which the indictment was returned, charged in the indictment were committed in the States of Or gon and Washington, if committed at all, and that indictments should have been found in one of these States.

Commissioner Heacock, in deciding against the contention of the defendants, said that the certified copy of the indictment established a prima facie case against Hyde and Dimond and that the competency of the Washington (D. C.) court had been proved.

The defense then began the calling of the government witnesses, all of whom are now in this city. The purpose is to examine them concerning the indictment. John H. Femple, assistant commissioner of the General Land Office, was the first witness. He was asked about the regulations governing land entries and the selection of lieu lands. It developed that all the papers of the witness were locked up in a local hotel and an adjournment was taken to tomorrow.

INSPECTION OF PUPILS.

SANITARY SCHOOL SYSTEM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—The Board of Health today inaugurated its system of the sanitary inspection of the pupils in the public schools by appointing Louis Dean chief volunteer inspecting physician, without pay. It will be Dr. Dean's duty to supervise the eye, ear, throat and nose examination of the pupils. He will have a volunteer corps of fifty-two physicians who have been accepted in the work. It is designed to increase the corps to seventy-five physicians so that daily inspections may be made at the schools.

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HAD MEANS IN HIS POCKET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—An unknown man tried to jump overboard from the ferry steamer San José today, but was prevented by deck hands. A few seconds later, he poured out a quantity of cyanide of potassium into one hand and placed it in his mouth. A deck hand tried to stop the man from swallowing the poison, and while struggling with him the stranger fell dead. The man was about 30 years old. In his pockets were two small envelopes such as are used as pay envelopes in certain business places. On one of these was "283" and "$15.50, Rohnbach." The other had the same name and "$9" in pencil on it.

STUDYING WINE-MAKING.

HENRY F. GILLIG IN STATE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Henry F. Gillig, founder of the American Exchange in Europe and well known on both sides of the Atlantic, has been a sojourner in this city for the past few days. While visiting California, he will pay particular attention to the wine-growing and wine-making industries in order to give full and accurate information to a number of wine growers in Germany, who believe that California will become the future wine-producing country of greatest importance.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Official Changes in Arizona.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gov. Bodie today received the resignation of W. F. Nichols as auditor of the Territory, following Nichols's confirmation to be Secretary of the Territory. Judge Nichols will take office tomorrow. Territorial Treasurer I. M. Christy has been promoted to Auditor and E. E. Kirkland, an Arizona pioneer, for the past year an employé of the Auditor's office, has been made Treasurer. Ex-Secretary Stoddard will remain a resident of Phoenix and will enter the incorporation business.

Changes in Arizona Offices.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) March 31.—Gov. Brodie today appointed I. M. Christy territorial auditor, vice W. F. Nichols, who resigned to accept the Federal appointment of territorial secretary. E. E. Kirkland resigned as clerk of the Board of Control and was appointed territorial treasurer, vice I. M. Christy, who resigned to accept the auditorship.

Yaqui Question Settled.

TUCSON (Ariz.) March 31.—Gen. Lorenzo Torres, commander of the first military zone of Mexico, left this city today for California on account of his health. Gen. Torres says the Yaqui question is practically settled, large numbers have been deported to Yucatan, where they have been drafted in the Mexican army. The only resistance on the part of the Yaquis is from small guerrilla bands, making occasional depredations.

Ferry Boat and Steamer Collide.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—While making a landing today, the ferryboat Tamalpais came in collision with the river steamer City of Dawson, disabling part of her machinery. The Tamalpais was uninjured.

Purser Held for Embezzlement.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—A warrant for the arrest of J. T. Cardosa, purser of the steamer State of California, was issued today on complaint of J. D. Amos, manager of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company. The charge is felony embezzlement and the amount stated is $128.95.

Coast Survey Steamers Busy.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—The coast survey steamers MacArthur and Gedney will go into commission at once. The Gedney will sail about April 15 for the west coast of Prince of Wales Island and the MacArthur will leave at the same time for Kiska, in the Aleutian Islands, to survey for a new coaling station.

Court Rewards Collier's Crew.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—United States District Judge De Haven has just handed down an opinion awarding $500 to the crew of the United States collier Justin for saving $40,000 worth of property, mostly bullion, from the wreck of the United States auxiliary cruiser Yosemite. The cruiser was caught in a hurricane in the harbor of Guam in November, 1900, and was carried out to sea. The crew of the Justin followed her and transferred her cargo. The $500 will be divided among nineteen men out of a crew of twenty-two, the other three being disqualified.

Rent for News Stand.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—The Harbor Commissioners have just given a new lease of the ferry news stand to Foster & Orear, the present tenants, at a rental of $1500 per month. The rental until now was only $480 per month. The lease will run during the pleasure of the board.

Training Ship Mohican's Trip.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—The training ship Mohican, Capt. Holmes, has sailed for the southern coast with a crew consisting of nearly two hundred landsmen, who are making their first voyage. The Mohican will call at San Diego, later proceeding to Magdalena Bay, Lower California, where target practice is usually held, and will return here two or three months hence.

Decides Against "Lime Trust."

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—A decision against the "lime trust" has just been given by Superior Judge Hunt in the suit of the Henry Cowell Lime and Cement Company against Thomas Mannix. The company sought an injunction to prevent Mannix from purchasing lime from any other dealer, alleging that he had signed a contract to buy only from the company for one year. The injunction was denied, the court saying that the contract which the company had with Mannix is one-sided and so cannot be enforced.

LABOR.

MACHINISTS GET DOWN TO STRIKE.

THOUSAND UNIONISTS ON SANTA FE MAKING THREATS.

Indications that Company Does Not Intend to Submit to Demands—Massachusetts to Extend Her Powers of Arbitration—Iowa Miners Quit Work.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One thousand union machinists on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé railway system threaten to strike next week if negotiations for a working schedule and shop rules are not successfully concluded in the next few days. Officials of the machinists' union have been in conference with the managers of the Santa Fé during the last two months, and the present indications are that the company does not intend to submit to the conditions demanded by the union. It was declared that the company has already erected stockades around its shops throughout the West and Southwest.

Union leaders declare that more than 300 union men have been laid off during the last few weeks and that non-union men are being hired so they will be ready to go to work in the shops in case a strike is called.

MASSACHUSETTS AS ARBITER.

TO EXTEND STATE'S POWERS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A bill is to be presented to the Legislature to extend the powers of the State with reference to the arbitration of labor difficulties. At the present time the State Board of Conciliation and Arbitration has authority to interfere for the settlement of differences between employer and employé only when petitioned to do so by the parties involved.

The bill will provide for compulsory investigation of controversies, regardless of the attitude of the parties immediately involved. This does not imply compulsory arbitration, the theory being that the public has certain rights which should be recognized in cases of extreme importance, and that an investigation and report by the State board, although its decision could not be legally enforced, would, in some instances, tend to insure a practical recognition of its finding, through the operation of public opinion. The bill is based upon a recommendation of a special committee headed by Carrol D. Wright.

IOWA MINERS STRIKE.

EVERY MINE CLOSED DOWN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DES MOINES, March 31.—The Iowa miners and operators failed to agree today and 13,500 miners are on strike. Every mine in Iowa is closed.

The miners demand a reduction in the price of blasting powder from $2 to $1.75 per can. They demand a uniform advance in the scale of wages paid to top men and that drivers in districts Nos. 1 and 4 receive the same scale as in districts Nos. 2 and 3.

The operators claim they are standing by the Indianapolis agreement and in so doing cannot submit to general increases in the wages paid unskilled labor throughout the district. There is no dissatisfaction with the scale paid skilled workmen in any district.

Telegrams were sent John Mitchell, asking him to come to Des Moines and aid a readjustment of the differences. The strike and lockout includes not only the miners in Iowa, but those in Putnam county, Mo.

STRIKE AT KERN.

BOILERMAKERS' HELPERS OUT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BAKERSFIELD, March 31.—This afternoon the entire force of boilermakers' helpers in the employ of the Southern Pacific at Kern walked out of the shop on strike, and up to a late hour had not returned to work. The exact grievance of the men is not known, as so far as the public is informed the relations between the officials and the men have been pleasant and no demandshas been made of late as to wages or hours, nor has there been any friction.

Incompetency Causes Strike.

CHICAGO, March 31.—Two hundred iron-bed makers are on strike at the plant of the Iron Bedstead Company. The firm charged several employés with being incompetent and refused to pay them the union scale. A number of brass and iron molders are also on a sympathetic strike. The union had rearranged the wage scale to fit the cases of the alleged incompetents, but the firm refused to consider the scale.

Illinois Mine Strike Brewing.

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) March 31.—The joint convention of Illinois miners and operators today failed to bring about a settlement of the scale in the first district.

Defeat Operators' Ultimatum.

ALTOONA (Pa.) March 31.—In secret session today, the Central Pennsylvania miners' delegates considered the operators' ultimatum of a 55-cent pick-mining rate. It was defeated unanimously.

Martial Law in France.

PARIS, March 31.—Martial law practically prevails in the Department of the Nord, owing to the menacing attitude of the striking textile workers.

CRUISER DENVER AGAIN FAILS.

BOSTON, March 31.—The protected cruiser Denver was given a second government speed trial test over the Cape Ann course today and again failed to reach her contract requirement of seventeen knots, her average speed being 16.71 knots. Tidal corrections may add slightly to the speed taken, but will not be sufficient to reach the contract requirement. The weather and wind conditions were almost perfect, there being scarcely any wind and no roll. The Denver made 16.23 knots on her first trial trip.

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MOFFATT TUNNEL TO BE LENGTHENED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER (Colo.) March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The great tunnel through which the Moffat road is to penetrate the continental divide will be longer than at first anticipated. Instead of being two and a half miles in length, it is now planned to make it four miles in length, and negotiate the range without climbing the hill. The statement is made by a member of the firm of contractors employed on the road. According to him, the tunnel of four miles will be cut out of solid granite. It will take three and a half years to complete, and will cost, it is estimated, in the neighborhood of $4,000,000, or $1,000,000 a mile.

While it is being constructed, a temporary road over the mountains will be used. The rock in the neighborhood of the proposed tunnel is solid granite, without seam or fissure, so hard, the contractors say, that when dynamite placed in the hole is prepared and exploded, instead of acting against the place of greatest resistance, as usually is the case, it comes back out of the drill hole in the form of smoke.

SANTA FE OFFICIALS.

REACH SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Paul Morton, second vice-president of the Santa Fé, arrived this evening, accompanied by Freight Traffic Manager W. B. Biddle and Passenger Traffic Manager George T. Nicholson. Edward Chambers, general freight agent of the Santa Fé Coast lines, with headquarters in Los Angeles, was also in the party.

Morton, Biddle and Nicholson said they came West on an inspection trip. They were in the southern part of the State a week, spent two days in the San Joaquin Valley and will be here about four days.

Morton confirmed the recent announcement that the Santa Fé will compete for green deciduous fruit shipments to Eastern markets during the coming season, and that his company expected to secure considerable tonnage from the San Joaquin Valley and Sacramento River points.

Passenger Traffic Manager Nicholson said that from present prospects he is convinced that the approaching Knights Templar conclave will be the largest gathering that San Francisco has ever entertained in her history. He believes the attendance of eastern visitors will exceed the gathering of Christian Endeavorers several years ago which holds the record.

ROCK ISLAND OFFICIALS.

CHANGES ANNOUNCED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—The Rock Island Railway Company announced today the following changes in officials to take effect April 5: B. L. Winchell, president, in place of W. B. Leeds, resigned; Robert C. Mather, first vice-president, in place of C. H. Warren, resigned; J. F. D. Stevens, second vice-president, in place of Robert Mather.

The following changes are also announced in the St. Louis and San Francisco executive officials: B. F. Yoakum, chairman of the board; A. J. Davidson, president, in place of B. F. Yoakum; Robert Mather, first vice-president, in place of B. L. Winchell, who will be made president of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway. The position of L. F. Loree, who is chairman of the board of the Rock Island system, is in no way affected by these changes.

LAST RAILS ARE LAID.

NEW BUTTE-COUNTY ROAD.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—William Graves of New York, general manager of the Diamond Match Company and vice-president of the Butte County Railroad Company, accompanied by F. M. Clough of Chico, general manager of the railroad; J. B. Robinson, its chief engineer, and A. W. Jones, chief counsel for the match company and the railroad on this Coast, arrived here today.

In discussing affairs of the Butte County Railroad, General Manager Clough said that the last rails of the thirty-two miles of road, connecting Chico and Stirling, will be laid today and the first trains will be run over the entire length of the line tomorrow. Continuing, he stated that the Diamond Match Company expects to have its big sawmill at Stirling running by July 1. It was admitted today that the road is to be gradually extended in a northerly direction. The first twenty miles are already paying expenses.

GENERAL MANAGER CALVIN.

NO MERGER WITH ESPEE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND (Or.) March 31.—E. E. Calvin, recently appointed general manager of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company and Southern Pacific lines in Oregon, arrived in Portland today, accompanied by President Mohler. Calvin assumes charge of his new office tomorrow. He asserts that there will be no merger of the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company and the Southern Pacific, but that both roads will be operated separately, with the exception that he will have general supervision over both in operating matters.

Manager Koehler is to retain his position as general manager of the Southern Pacific in Oregon, and his authority will suffer no curtailing. He will simply report through Calvin, instead of through the San Francisco office hereafter.

NORTHERN SECURITIES ASSETS.

DISTRIBUTION LOOKED FOR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—In view of the fact that J. P. Morgan has arranged to leave for Europe next week, Wall street is inclined to expect an early announcement that some sort of satisfactory arrangement has been reached between the Union Pacific interests and the Hill-Morgan interests regarding the distribution of the assets of the Northern Securities Company. Several men prominent in Northern Securities matters were callers at the office of J. P. Morgan & Co., today. Representatives of that firm and of the Union Pacific interests, said, however, that there was nothing new in the situation.

Schindler With Huntington.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—A. D. Schindler, who resigned the superintendency of the Santa Fé's Valley lines to accept the position of assistant to President A. W. Foster of the California Northwestern, is not going with the California Northwestern after all. President Foster explained today that Schindler asked to be relieved from accepting the new position to which he had been appointed and that he had acquiesced in Schindler's request. It is learned that Schindler received an offer from H. E. Huntington to become general superintendent of the Huntington electric railways in the southern part of the State, and he has accepted this in preference to going with the California Northwestern.

SETTLING SERVIA'S ASSASSINS.

VIENNA, March 31.—The royal decree issued at Belgrade today retiring twelve high army officials is regarded here as a first step in the scheme for settling the question of the treatment of the assassins of King Alexander and Queen Draga. This scheme is intended to pacify those powers which practically broke off diplomatic relations with Servia when the regicides were retained in power.

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THE FAR EAST.

(Continued from First Page.)

burg sent a surgeon, his services were refused.

The tone of the correspondent is very bitter. He adds that he saw the American denials of the incident when he arrived at Port Said, but that they are not convincing. He continues: "I saw the report of one of the captains to his government in which the action of the Americans is set forth clearly and categorically in its true color."

PRIZE MONEY DISTRIBUTED.

VLADIVOSTOK FLEET'S LUCK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, March 31, 1:30 p.m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] For sinking Japanese merchantmen in Sungari Straits at the opening of the war, $75,000 has been distributed in prize money to the crews of the four cruisers of the Vladivostok squadron.

The Invalid Russ, the army organ, concludes from Gen. Mishtchenko's reports that the Japanese are continuing their concentration and gradually advancing on their way to Wiju, their advance guard being at Kah San and their outposts ten miles farther north. The paper declines to predict the future phases of the Japanese advance upon the Yalu.

In connection with the activity of the Chinese along the Shan Hai Kwan Railroad, the Bourse Gazette warns the powers of the unreliability in Chinese neutrality, and says it believes they are making a serious mistake, declaring that the Celestials are going to astonish the world when the world least expects it.

The Gazette further declares it to be the duty of the powers to take collective action to strengthen the protest at Peking in order to compel the non-participation of China in the war and concludes: "Russia cannot forever play the solitary watchdog of civilization in the Far East."

The Novoe Vremya advises the government a protest against the violation of the Geneva convention in the hoisting of Red Cross flags to protect the Japanese troops in the fight at Chong Ju. The Russ thinks Marine Minister Yamamoto's speech before the Japanese Parliament about the difficulties encountered at Port Arthur was designed to throw the Russians off their guard, and believes the Japanese will do everything in their power to take Port Arthur, because, if they fail, the Japanese will be reduced solely to a land campaign in Korea.

SINKING OF HANYEI.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, March 31, 9:15 p.m.—The action of Russian warships in sinking the Japanese coasting steamer Hanyei Maru last Saturday is deeply resented by the Japanese. In official circles, the attack upon and the sinking of this vessel near Talchin Island is pronounced to be a clear violation of the neutrality of China, besides being an act of wantonness against a defenseless craft. The sinking of the Japanese steamer Nakonamura by the Russian Vladivostok squadron near the Tsugaro Straits is recalled.

HELPLESS SIBERIAN JAPS.

TAKAHIRA AGAIN SEES HAY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Mr. Takahira, Japanese Minister, was among the diplomats who called at the State Department today. He and Secretary Hay spent some time in conference upon the Far Eastern war situation. The Minister was anxious to know whether the Japanese non-combatants in Siberia had been started on their way to Berlin.

American Ambassador McCormick at St. Petersburg has been instructed to bring the matter to the attention of the Russian government and Secretary Hay and Mr. Takahira are now hopeful that the Japanese will soon be safe in the hands of the Japanese ministry at Berlin.

FUERST BISMARCK SATISFIES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HAMBURG, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Hamburg liner Fuerst Bismarck arrived this morning at Libau. The test voyage satisfied the Russian authorities who, through a third party, purchased her for 4,000,000 marks, not 14,000,000, as stated.

SUPPLIES AT HARBIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, March 31.—Enormous herds and stores of flour are being concentrated at Harbin. About five hundred thousand boxes of tinned meats will be kept at Irkutsk for the outgoing and railroad men.

All the tinned meats are being put up in St. Petersburg according to a German process, by which the contents can be served without the use of fire, the tin being placed in another filled with hot water and having a false bottom containing a carbide mixture which is forced into the water, when it is desired to do so, and brings the contents of the inner can to a boiling point.

SENTRIES ORDERED TO SHOOT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORT ARTHUR, March 31.—The proclamation of Lieut. Stoessel, commanding here, declaring all the territory lying between and included in Port Arthur and Tsi Chou in a state of siege, forbids all unauthorized persons to approach the fortifications and batteries and announces that the sentries have been ordered to shoot anyone who fails to obey the order. The police measures adopted at Port Arthur are excellent, and perfect order is maintained.

KIEFF'S TORPEDO CRUISER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

KIEFF (Russia) March 31.—A society has been formed here for the purpose of collecting money for the construction of a torpedo cruiser, to be named the Kieff, which will be presented to the government.

LAST OF THE REINDEER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VLADIVOSTOK, March 31.—Concern is felt here lest the herd of 3000 reindeer, the last specimens of that animal now on Askold Island, which is within range of the Japanese guns, shall be destroyed. The herd is valued at $500,000. The horns of the animals are very valuable. They are used by the Chinese as medicine.

THAT CHONG JU BATTLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEOUL, March 31, midday.—Detailed reports received here of the engagements of March 28 between Russians and Japanese at Chong Ju, Korea, say the fighting lasted two hours, at the end of which the Japanese forced the Russians to retire toward Wiju. Two Russian dead were left on the field, while other bodies were carried off with the column. A Japanese lieutenant named Kano and four privates were killed, while Capt. Kurokawa and eleven privates were wounded.

ICE-BREAKER ERMAK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CRONSTADT, March 31.—The ice-breaker Ermak has arrived here.

VOLUNTEER INTERPRETERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VLADIVOSTOK, March 31.—The members of the graduating class of the Oriental Institute have volunteered to act as interpreters in Japanese, Korean and Chinese for the army and navy service.

GREAT BATTLE IMMINENT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dispatches from the Far East indicate the imminence of a great battle near the Yalu. Skirmishes such as that at Chong Ju are skirmishes that invariably precede a pitched battle, and are consequent of the manuevering on either side for the advantage of position for actual combats.

JAPAN AND HER FLEET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, March 31.—That Japan already is planning for a rapid renewal of her fleet as soon as the conflict with Russia is ended is inferred from a journey made by the Japanese naval attaché, Count Takikawa, and a number of higher Japanese officials to the Stettin shipyards today. They made a careful inspection of the yards, noting the capacity for the building of the various craft, particularly torpedo boats.

SALMON FOR JAPAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) March 31.—The Seattle Trade Register on Saturday will say that orders have been placed with local dealers in the last few days for 225,000 cases of Alaska Pink salmon for shipment to Japan for use by the army. The immense purchase will go forward by the Shawmut, sailing tomorrow, while each following ship will take some. The Trade Register also says that 75,000 cases have been purchased by Japan in San Francisco and that large purchases have also been made in Vancouver, B. C.

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WASHINGTON.

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Soldiers Home Board Competition—Mr. Williams.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representative Bell of California precipitated a hot debate in the House today by offering an amendment to the Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill, providing that State homes for soldiers that maintain a canteen shall not receive national aid, and also prohibiting such State homes from withholding any part of soldiers' pensions. There was a strong protest against the amendment when it was first offered, and in the debate that preceded its adoption into the bill, Mr. Bell made a speech, in which he said:

"In the State of California, the Board of Directors of the veterans' home have adopted a rule by which they require every inmate of that home, as a condition preceding his admission thereto, to sign a contract agreeing that while he is a member of the home he will surrender up his pension; and that rule is enforced. When he surrenders his pension, the amount of that pension is entered to his credit upon the books in the office of the home, and he is thereafter permitted to draw upon that amount in canteen checks for the purpose of obtaining intoxicating liquors at the bar-room or canteen at the home. I say this system of conteen business in connection with the rule requiring the surrender of pensions, enables the Board of Directors to monopolize nearly every dollar of old soldiers' pensions and permits the State of California to speculate upon the bounty which the United States has generously given to those who deserve it.

"It is to prevent this abuse that this amendment is offered. This system now in force is a temptation to the seven hundred and fifty or eight hundred and fifty old soldiers in the home in California and exhausts their entire pension money in buying canteen checks.

"I have a letter here from a member of that home, in which he states to me that the adjutant of the home will issue to any inmate a dollar's worth of these canteen checks in the morning and another dollar's worth in the afternoon, and under such circumstances they cannot tell me that the canteen at that home is the means of promoting temperance, or that it prevents indiscriminate drinking.

"Under this amendment, boards of directors of these homes may receive these pension moneys and may hold them in trust for the old soldier. They may become a depository or savings bank for the accumulation of money of these old soldiers. If any soldier has a dependent relative on the outside, he may direct that his pension be paid over to that dependent relative, and he may, from time to time, in the discretion of the Board of Directors, draw upon the amount that remains to his credit. Upon his death, this amount goes to his representatives; or upon his discharge from the home it is paid over to him.

"This is a system that was good enough to be adopted in 1883 for the government and regulation of the soldiers' home in the District of Columbia, and if it is good enough for a soldiers' home in this district of Columbia, it is good enough for any State in this Union.

"Now, gentlemen, I may say that when we strike out the provision that the States must pay back to us one-half the money they receive for these pensions, we may lose something. I say you will lose very little. I believe the amount paid back did not exceed $40,000 last year. Why? This is the way they evade it in the State of California: They only withhold 5 per cent. as assessment or fine for failure to do dining-room service. Of that 5 per cent., they will give the United States government one-half, but the other 95 per cent., which nearly all of it goes over the bar of the canteen, is received by the State of California, which gets the benefit of it. And I have been told by a man who tended bar at that place that he had known as much as $2000 to pass over that canteen bar in one week.

"Now, I believe we should place it in the power of the old soldier to have his money held in trust for him. Let him have a savings bank at the veterans' home; do not tell him 'You shall not have a dollar of your pension unless you take it out in canteen checks.'

"The gentleman from Indiana (Mr. Crumpacker,) tells me he would be ashamed to represent pon this floor a State that did such a thing. I share to some extent the shame he feels for my State, but I believe it is because they do not fully understand it, that at least they think Congress should legislate upon this subject."

MARKHAM VERSUS SHAFTER.

TWO HOUSES DIFFERING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The House of Representatives recently passed a resolution appointing Gen. W. R. Shafter, retired, a member of the board of managers for national soldiers' homes. The appointment was made by the House at the instance of Chairman Hull of the House Military Affairs Committee. Today the Senate passed a resolution striking out Gen. Shafter's name and substituting therefor the name of ex-Gov. Markham of California, so that there will be a contest between the two houses as to which shall get this appointment.

Chairman Hull will fight vigorously for Gen. Shafter and Gov. Markham's supporters in the Senate seem just as determined that he shall be named.

MR. WILLIAMS'S INQUIRIES.

PROSECUTION OF MERGER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Representative Williams of Mississippi introduced two resolutions of inquiry addressed to the Department of Justice today. One requests information as to whether any criminal prosecutions have been instituted by the department against the individuals or corporations who were adjudged recently by the Supreme Court of the United States, as in the Northern Securities case, to be guilty of having violated the laws of the United States by entering into unlawful combines in restraint of interstate commerce, and "to send to the House all papers and documents and other information bearing upon the prosecutions inaugurated or about to be inaugurated in that behalf."

The other resolution requested information as to whether any investigation was ever had at the suggestion of the Attorney-General or by the Department of Justice, or at the suggestion of any one else, of the so-called anthracite coal trust, consisting of the anthracite coal carrying railroads doing an interstate business, whether any report was ever made of such investigation, and, if so, to send to the House the report and all papers and documents bearing upon the same.

THE CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31—SENATE. The Senate today passed a joint resolution providing for the printing of 12,000 copies of the decision of the Supreme Court in the merger case for free distribution. The following bill also passed: Providing for the appointment of members of the Board of Managers for the National Soldiers' Home: Martin T. McMahon of New York, John M. Holey of Wisconsin, William Ward of Missouri, Henry M. Markham of California, Henry E. Palmer of Nebraska and Franklin Murphy of New Jersey.

Mr. Clark of Wyoming then addressed the Senate on the bill repealing the Desert Land and other land laws.

MR. CLARK'S CRITICISM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Mr. Clark criticised the operation of the Forest Reserve Law, saying that under it two-thirds of the area of his own county had been withdrawn from entry. This was not the fault of the law, nor were the frauds committed under the Desert Land Law or the Timber and Stone Act chargeable to the law. Moreover, he did not believe that the frauds are extensive, as charged. For himself, he was not willing to admit that the people of his State are engaged in theft. He admitted the great benefit of the Homestead Act in the past, but contended that, unaided by other laws, this could not be used as a vehicle for the settlement of the arid region.

Mr. Clark spoke of the work of the commission recently sent into the West to investigate the operations of land laws, and commended the President for his course in this matter, saying that it is a sufficient defense against the charge of impetuosity made against the Chief Executive. He charged the agitation for a repeal of the land laws to the owners of large bodies of railroad grant lands in the West. The effect of the repeal, he said, would be to take out of the market every acre of public land. But the public lands still would be sold, Mr. Clark said, and he outlined a system of susbstitution by means of forest reserve scrip secured through the disposition of railroad lands in forest reserves for other lands, saying that if Mr. Gibson's bill should become a law, the value of all this land would double. He added: "Never in the history of land legislation has there been such determined, such a barefaced lobby as is behind this legislation, and which has been pressing it for the past three years. It is no secret that one of the largest holders of these lands recently has boasted at a public banquet that he had contribued $25,000 for the purpose of this bill."

Mr. Gibson and Mr. Patterson both demanded the name of the man in question, but Mr. Clark declined to give it to the Senate, saying he would not enter into personalities of that character in the Senate, but he would give the name to any Senator who might wish it.

"I think," said Mr. Patterson, "that the name should be given here; that the man should be known, and be branded throughout the country."

Proceeding, Mr. Patterson demanded that Mr. Clark should say who constitutes the lobby here in the interest of the repeal bill.

Mr. Clark again declined, but said the Senator from Colorado knew who constituted the lobby.

Mr. Patterson replied promptly: "When the Senator from Wyoming says that I know who constitutes the lobby of which he complains, he speaks hastily and without justification. There is not one word of truth in that statement."

Mr. Clark replied that he had meant merely to say that Mr. Patterson must have observed the lobby, and he withdrew the statement that the Colorado Senator had had positive knowledge of its existence.

Replying, Mr. Patterson admitted his sympathy with a movement for the repeal of the land laws, and said that this sympathy was due to the fact that he lives in a public-land State, and had had opportunity to observe the operations of these laws. He expressed the opinion that eight out of ten acres of land in Colorado and Wyoming had been secured through fraudulent means.

Mr. Clark said: "I know nothing about conditions in Colorado, but what the Senator says about Wyoming is unqualifiedly untrue."

With this, the incident closed.

The Postoffice Appropriation Bill was taken up. Mr. McCreary read from the message of the President in regard to the First Assistant Postmaster-General's office and of the indictments against Beavers, Machen, Tyner and other officials to show conditions in the department, which, he said, warranted and made necessary an investigation.

"It has been a strange spectacle," said Mr. McCreary, "when members of the House of Representatives who have demanded an investigation and reform have been compelled to abandon that request and themselves have to go before an investigating committee."

The policy of the Republican party in regard to immigration and Statehood of Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma was severely criticised by Mr. McCreary, who said Republican pledges had been broken. The reasons, said Mr. McCreary, are that the Republicans are getting ignorant foreign votes, and fear they will not get the votes of the new States if they are admitted.

Mr. Dolliver spoke of the charges of corruption which the Democrats were making. All these, he said, had been founded on Mr. Bristow's report, which was a great tribute to the integrity of the department.

Mr. Patterson interrupted that the investigations recommended by Messrs. Conrad and Bonaparte had not been undertaken.

Mr. Dolliver contended, however, that they have been made by the department in full.

The conference report on the Agricultural Appropriation Bill was agreed to, and after a brief executive session, the Senate, at 5:15 p.m., adjourned.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—HOUSE. Consideration of the Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill was resumed in the House today. When the provision relating to State or Territorial homes for disabled soldiers and sailors was reached, Mr. Bell of California assailed the policy in force at these institutions regarding the disposition of the inmates. Referring to the home in his own State, he said its officials had degraded the State to the position of conducting a saloon and grog shop. Under the rule now existing, he declared, the officials compel the soldier to surrender his pension and then pay it back to him in canteen checks. He offered an amendment to the bill in terms along the lines of the law applying to the Soldiers' Home in this city.

Mr. Hemenway (Rep.) of Indiana, in charge of the bill, opposed the amendment because it was legislation on an appropriation bill.

In the course of the discussion which followed, Mr. Hemenway declared that State homes not only secure from the government $100 a year for the care of each soldier, but withhold a part of the soldier's pension, thereby speculating on the generosity of the government. Mr. Bell interrupted to inquire if the State was not speculating on the pensions of the other soldiers when the money was spent in canteen checks.

"I am ashamed of any State that would do that," remarked Mr. Hemenway.

"And I am ashamed to say my State does it," Mr. Bell declared, "and I am here to stop it."

Mr. Hemenway replied that he would be ashamed to represent a State that robbed old soldiers.

Mr. Bell protested that he was proud of his State, but ashamed of the Board of Governors of the home.

A point of order by Mr. Hemenway against the amendment was overruled. Taking the floor again, Mr. Bell vigorously protested against the canteen at the California Sate Home and urged the adoption of his amendment. The amendment provided that no part of the appropriation shall apply to any State or Territory home into which the wives and daughters of soldiers are admitted and maintained, nor shall any part of it be apportioned to any State or Territory home that maintains a bar or canteen where intoxicating liquors are sold.

Mr. Shirley (Dem.) of Kentucky offered an amendment to the amendment, striking out the canteen feature. He was, he said, as greatly grieved over the condition of affairs in the California home as Mr. Bell, but he emphatically declared against "that species of paternalism which undertakes to legislate the morals of the people."

He was, he said, opposed to any anti-canteen law.

The Shirley amendment in favor of the canteen was voted down. The Bell amendment was then agreed to by a rising vote, 59 to 31.

OTHER AMENDMENTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Mr. Hitchcock (Dem.) of Nebraska made an unsuccessful attempt to amend the bill by providing that no salaries shall be paid to United States District Attorneys who, for six months after the passage of the bill, shall fail to proceed by suit in equity or criminal prosecution against persons, firms or corporations violating the anti-trust law.

Mr. Benton (Dem.) of Missouri interrupted the reading of the bill to call attention to the remarks of himself and Mr. Hemenway regarding the appropriation for furnishing the White House. He said he did not want to be put in the attitude of having suggested that a $60,000 White House stable was desired, when there was no foundation for the statement. He then asked for the estimate of the Secretary of the Treasury, which includes $60,000 for a White House stable, and read from the testimony of Col. T. W. Symonds, superintendent of public buildings and grounds, calling attention to the deplorable condition of the present stable. He also referred to a supplemental estimate of $30,000 for the purchase of land upon which to erect the stable.

Mr. Mann made a point of order, which was sustained, against the last paragraph in the bill, providing that government carriages used for public purposes shall have painted thereon the name of the department to which they belong. Mr. Hemenway got around the point by offering a substitute slightly different in language, but preserving the requirement of the original paragraph. The substitute was agreed to.

The use of public carriages for private purposes, Mr. Baker characterized as "graft."

The House then reverted to the portion of the bill which was temporarily passed over, relating to the Coast and Geodetic Surveys. Mr. Robinson of Indiana charged malfeasance in the conduct of this office, which, he said, had approached a scandal. He offered an amendment requiring that the allowance shall not be made unless supported by properly authenticated vouchers. Mr. Robinson's amendment was disagreed to.

Under a point of order, the provision prescribing the method of appointment and allowances for special agents and others in connection with timber depredations was stricken out, as also was the proviso to the paragraph for transcripts of records and plats in the General Land Office, restricting compensation of clerks to $2 a day and providing that only one-twelfth of the appropriation shall be spent in any one month.

An amendment was agreed to, appropriating $90,000 for new machinery, furniture and machinery, complete equipment necessary to inaugurate a coinage press at Denver.

The bill was about to be passed, when Mr. Sulzer forced a roll call on a motion to recommit with instructions to strike out the paragraph relating to the appropriation for $126,000 for the rent of the New York customs house, which paragraph he assailed. The call resulted in 84 yeas, and 93 nays, and seven "presents," eight less than a quorum.

Mr. Williams moved to adjourn, which motion carried, and amid applause on the Democratic side, the House, at 5:40 p.m. adjourned until tomorrow.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Subpoenas for Smoot Witnesses.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Subpoenas have been sent out for witnesses to appear before the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections in the Smoot inquiry on April 20, a postponement being made from the 12th.

Nebraska District Attorneyship.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Senators Millard and Dietrich and D. E. Thompson, United States Minister to Brazil, all of Nebraska, had a conference today with the President concerning the District Attorneyship of Nebraska. At the conclusion of the interview it was announced that Irving J. Baxter of Omaha would be appointed to succeed Dist.-Atty. William S. Summers. It was Attorney Summers who prosecuted the recent indictment against Senator Dietrich.

Senator Allison Ill.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Senator Allison of Iowa, who became ill at the Capitol yesterday, is still confined to his home. The attending physician said today that there were no dangerous symptoms; that the Senator is improving, and might be able to resume his duties at the Senate about Monday.

Withdrawal of Lands.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The Interior Department has directed the temporary withdrawal of 486,520 acres of vacant public lands, partially unsurveyed, in the Carson City, Nev., land district, from all forms of disposal except under the mineral laws. The withdrawal is for forestry purposes.

Republican Statehood Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The Statehood Bill, prepared by the Republican members of the sub-committee of the House Committee on Territories was considered today by the full sub-committee, and will be recommended favorably to the full committee tomorrow.

Carnegie Institute Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The House Committee on the District of Columbia today authorized a favorable report on the bill introduced two weeks ago by Speaker Cannon to incorporate the Carnegie Institute of Washington, D. C.

Education in Alaska.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The Treasury Department today transmitted to the House an estimate from Secretary Hitchcock for an appropriation of $100,000 to be immediately available for education in Alaska.

HOTEL GREEN, Pasadena, will remain open until May 1.

Althouse Bros. sell modern houses.

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Line of Spring Woolens is here ready for your inspection. We await your order for the right kind of clothes at the right price.

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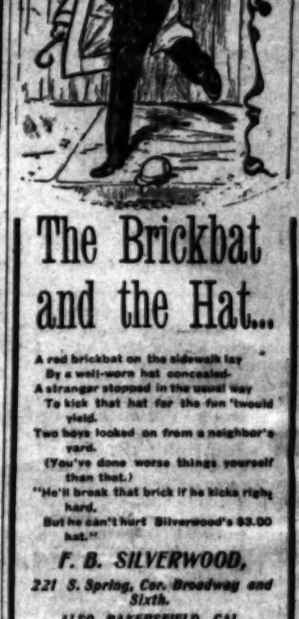

The Brickbat and the Hat...

A red brickbat on the sidewalk lay
By a well-worn hat concealed.
A stranger stopped in the usual way
To kick that hat for the fun 'twould yield.
Two boys looked on from a neighbor's yard.
(You've done worse things yourself than that.)
"He'll break that brick if he kicks right hard.
But he can't hurt Silverwood's $3.00 hat."

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Remnant Bulletin

5c 36-inch White Cheese Cloth, yard..... 3½c
6½c Plain Black Calico, yard..... 3½c
6½c Fancy Calico, yard..... 4½c
7½c Figured Batiste, yard..... 5c
12½c Plain Colored Organdy, yard..... 5c
7½c Apron Gingham, yard..... 6c
7½c Linen Novelties, yard..... 6½c
10c Heavy Shirting, yard..... 6½c
10c Printed Flannelette, yard..... 6½c
10c Outing Flannel, yard..... 7c
10c Percale, yard..... 7c
12½c Black Sateen, yard..... 7½c
12½c Cambric, yard..... 7½c
12½c 36-inch Corded Madras, yard..... 7½c
10c New Spring Gingham, yard..... 7½c

...SOILED BED SPREADS...

A few soiled bed spreads, white with hemmed ends; full size; others that are colored; only a few of them; all at tempting prices in the linen booth Bargain-Friday.

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Linen Remnants

54-inch bleached table damask; remnants containing 2 yards; Friday, per length..... 60c
72-inch bleached table damask; remnants of 2¼ yards; Friday, each..... $1.29
60-inch unbleached table damask; remnants of 1¼ yards; Bargain Friday, per length..... 70c
58-inch cream table damask; lengths of 2 yards; Friday, each..... 65c
17-inch white linen crash; remnants of three yards; Friday, per length..... 25c
18-inch brown crash; lengths of 5 yards; Bargain-Friday, per length..... 35c
16-inch cotton crash; white or brown; remnants only; Bargain-Friday, per yard..... 5c
Remnants of napkins; 18 inches square; Bargain-Friday, lots of 6 napkins for..... 35c
Remnants of pure white linen napkins; 19 inches square; lots of half dozen Friday for..... 78c

$8.50 Wool Rugs $6.75

Size 9x12 Feet .....

Good all wool ingrain rugs; large size; 12 feet long and 9 feet wide; large enough for almost any ordinary room; these come in rich colors and beautiful patterns; regular price $8.50; Bargain Friday each $6.75.

$1.25 Grenadine Curtains. 75c

Striped grenadine cottage curtains 3 yards long and 42 inches wide in rich oriental colorings on light grounds; worth regularly $1.25. Friday per pair 75c.

Other Third Floor Bargains.

Brass extension rods for lace curtains; these may be extended from 27 to 50 inches; sold all over town at 15c; Friday each..... 9c

Chicken feather pillows; cased in good strong ticking; weight 3 lbs; regular price 60c; Bargain Friday each..... 45c

Medium size comforts; fancy covers and plain colored lining; good weight; worth regularly 75c; Bargain Friday each..... 49c

Good cotton blankets; tan color with fancy borders; 10-4 size; regular price 65c; Bargain Friday per pair..... 49c

Good heavy Jute rugs; 5 feet long and 28 inches wide; fringed ends; pretty patterns; reversible; worth regularly 75c; Friday each..... 55c

Remnants of drapery material tapestries, burlaps, denims, Hungarian cloth; curtain swiss, scrim and silkoline; good lengths; on the third floor Friday at..... HALF PRICE

Store News--- MOSTLY ABOUT New Easter Goods

Every Paragraph Speaks of Some Special Chance to Save Money by Spending

With Easter only two days off you can't afford to delay another minute. Every paragraph in this advertisement presents some special trading opportunity. Almost every item featured is related to the spring and Easter season. Now, crisp merchandise at Bargain-Friday prices. As we've told you so many times it's best to time your Friday shopping as early in the day as possible, for some of the best things are closed out before noon—come early Friday if you can—late if you must.

Remnants of Wanted Linens

Remnants of sleeve linings—light grounds with colored stripes and figures—regularly worth 12½c and 15c; Bargain-Friday, per yard.... 8c

Remnants mercerized sateens; all colors and black—yard wide, kid finish—two qualities worth regularly 25c and 35c. Bargain-Friday per yard.... 12½c

Collar canvas, all linen in gray or black, 22 inches wide, any length you want; quality worth regularly 25c, Bargain-Friday per yard..... 7½c

Quilted Satin lining, good range of light colors also white and black. Sold in most stores at $1.00; Bargain-Friday per yard..... 89c

White Madras Waists 98c

WELL WORTH $2.00

Shirt waists made from figured white madras; plaited backs; tucked yoke and full plaited Victoria front; finished with pearl buttons; full pouch sleeves and neat tab collar; excellent values up to $2.00; sale price Friday, each 98c.

69c Percale Waists 49c

Pretty shirt waists made from striped percales; tucked back; front laid in plaits; finished with bias piping; full sleeves and pretty tab colors; all good colors; regular price 69c; Friday, each 49c.

$3.98 Black Petticoats $2.45

A big line of odd numbers in the famous Duplex petticoats made from black mercerized materials; finished with ruffles, plaitings and deep accordeon plaited flounces; these have adjustable yoke; values up to $3.98; Friday, each, $2.45.

CHILDS' DRAWERS . 10c

Children's muslin drawers with clusters of tucks; wide hemstitched hem; small sizes only; cheap at 15c; Friday, per pair, 10c.

MUSLIN CORSET COVERS 15c

Muslin corset covers, tight fitting or loose front; trimmed with lace and cambric ruffles; special bargain for Friday, each 15c.

WOMEN'S GOWNS . . 25c

Women's muslin gowns, tucked yoke; trimmed around neck and sleeves with hemstitched ruffles; good value at 35c; Friday only, each 25c.

5-Yard Skirt Lengths 98c

Well Worth $2.25

Skirt lengths measuring 5 yards of good grade melton cloth, 30 in. wide, in the popular oxford gray shade; this material has sufficient weight to retain its shape without lining; just the thing for beach, mountain and knockabout wear; worth regularly 45c per yard. Bargain-Friday, skirt lengths of 5 yards for 98c.

$2.50 Skirt Cloths, Yard ... Skirts Made Free ... $1.48

High grade skirting materials in the weaves most wanted for walking skirts and tailored suits; homespuns, meltons, double-faced English coatings, goods that cannot be bought elsewhere under $2.50; we have been selling these goods, however, at $1.75; specially priced for Bargain-Friday, $1.48.

Skirts made to measure free from these materials.

$1.50 Black Crepe 98c

44-inch black silk and wool crepe, bright surface, well woven, quality sold in most stores at $1.50. Bargain-Friday only, per yard, 98c.

Silk Section Bargainettes

Taffeta finished Japanese silk, a complete range of colors, including black, all pure silk, worth regularly 50c; Friday, per yard..... 35c

Fancy Louisines, all colors, suitable for shirt waist suits, well worth 75c; Friday, per yard.... 45c

24-in. pongee silks in jasper and champagne shades, heavy quality, worth 90c; Friday, yard... 75c

Easter Millinery on Sale Bargain-Friday

Trimmed Hats $.348

Odd lines of trimmed hats that are somewhat mussed from trying on and from being displayed in the windows; not perfectly fresh, but excellent in styles and good values at much higher prices; a large lot to be closed out on Bargain-Friday at, each, $3.48.

Milan Hats for Children . . . $2.48

Children's Milan hats, fine quality braid, nicely trimmed in many pleasing ways; new shapes and styles; splendid values at $3.00; Friday, each, $2.48.

Millinery Extras for Bargain-Friday

Choice assortment of new shapes; fine quality straw; splendid assortment of colorings; turbans, large flat shapes and French sailors; $1.25 values; Bargain-Friday, each..... 98c

Extra bargains in fine flowers and foliage; broad range to choose from; all kinds of blossoms, and foliage in bunches and mostures; values up to 98c; choice Friday..... 49c

Special lot of fine quality violets; several different styles in natural color with foliage; worth 50c; Friday, per bunch..... 25c

Crush roses, large size; three splendid roses to the bunch; worth 25c; Bargain-Friday..... 13c

New Walking Hats $1.48

Special new walking hats desirable shapes in fancy straws; good colors; trimmed in velvet ribbon, quills and buttons; Friday each, $1.48.

Swell Trimmed Hats Worth up to $7.48 ..... $5.98

A special assortment of rarely good trimmed hats in all the best colorings; richly trimmed in good flowers, foliage and fruits; made in the newest and most fashionable shapes; chiffons and good straw braids; values up to $7.48; Friday, each, $5.98.

New 25c Foliage 13c.

New foliage, big assortment just in; large sprays of fine leaves prettily branched; well worth 25c; Friday per bunch; 13c.

Bolts of Straw Braid Worth 10c and 12½c per yd 65c

10 and 12-yard pieces of fine straw braid in colors that are in demand right now. Worth 10c and 12½c per yard; Friday, sold in full bolts only, per bolt, 65c.

Remnants of straw braid; all sorts of colors and qualities; lengths from 2 to 5 yards; Bargain-Friday, per length..... 10c

Friday's Bargains Drug Section

Jersey Fountain Syringe, 2 or 3-qt. size, fitted with three hard rubber pipes, regular price 60c; Friday, each..... 48c

Goodyear Rubber Combs, unbreakable, all fine or all coarse teeth, regular 15c ones; Friday, each..... 9c

Munyon's Witch Hazel Soap, excellent for the complexion, regular price 15c; Friday 3 cakes for 25c; single cake.. 10c

Superior quality of Hair Brushes, colored backs, pure bristles, regular 50c value; Friday, each..... 23c

All Easter Novelties Half Price

Rabbits, Chics, Ducks and Nests, Happy Hooligan, Foxy Grandpa, Gloomy Gus, Etc.

10c Articles, 5c 5c Articles 2½c

Pound of Writing Paper 60 Envelopes to Match All for 12½c

A pound of good writing paper, with 60 envelopes to match, a decided bargain at 25c, the regular price; Bargain-Friday, in our stationery department, paper and envelopes for 12½c.

Tally-ho Playing Cards, good enameled backs, regular price 25c, excellently finished. Bargain-Friday, pack..... 15c

White Paper Napkins, suitable for hotels, restaurants, picnics, etc., worth 50c; Friday, per thousand..... 20c

Friday Shoe Bargains

Worthy Shoes at Ridiculous Prices

WOMEN'S SHOES—Some of kid, others of bright patent leather, lace tops, medium weight flexible sewed soles, stylish, modified coin toes, roomy, comfortable lasts, all sizes in the lot; $1.50 and $2.00 values. Bargain-Friday, per pair..... 98c

WOMEN'S JULIETS—Made from velvet finished kid, hand-turned, pliable soles, common sense lasts, small elastic goring on either side, suitable for house or street wear; $1.50 value. Friday, per pair..... 98c

WOMEN'S SLIPPERS—A large collection of broken lines; various styles, some with French heels, hand-turned soles; $1.50 and $2.00 values. Friday, per pair..... 75c

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES—Sizes 8½ to 11, made from plump vici kid, modified foot-form lasts, half double extension soles, spring or half heels; $1.75 values. Friday, per pair..... $1.25

MEN'S SHOES—Made from fine, soft kid, medium weight soles, half round toes with caps, roomy and comfortable shoes worth $1.50. Friday, per pair..... 95c

BOYS' OXFORDS—Some of vici kid, others of patent leather, half double extension, hand-welted soles; $3.50 values. Friday, per pair..... $1.50

Boy's Cheviot Suits 59c

Actually Worth $1.50

Friday we place on sale a lot of boys' cheviot suits in neat oxford mixtures; there's a few sizes missing from the lot; but the size you want is likely here; good strong lines, well sewn; suits actually worth $1.50; Friday each 59c.

Boys' $2.50 Wool Suits $1.48

Boys' suits made from good, sturdy wool cheviots in neat patterns; some in plain colors; both Norfolk and double breasted styles; ages 4 to 14 years; $2.50 values; Friday per suit, $1.48.

Boys' High Grade Suits $2.50

Original Values Up to $5.00 . . .

A lot of odds and ends in Boys' suits—some of the season's choicest pickings; values as high as $5.00; the best selling suit of the season, that's why the lines are broken; there's not all sizes of every pattern, but all sizes in the lot; ages 4 to 15 years; choose from this lot, Bargain-Friday, each, $2.50.

75c Corduroys 33c

Boys' corduroy pants; heavy weight; these are second qualities; most all sizes are represented; good range of colors; actual 75c values; Bargain-Friday, per pair, 33c.

Boys' sweaters, heavy ribbed blue and maroon colors; sizes 26 to 32; worth 35c; Friday, each..... 23c

Boys' cloth caps, golf and yacht shape; good assortment of colors; 25c ones; Friday, each..... 15c

$1.00 Easter Gloves 75c

Women's kid gloves made from soft, flexible skins in all the most popular colors; a complete range of sizes; finished at the wrist with two clasps; new, fresh goods for Easter; regular $1.00 quality; Friday, per pair 75c.

Manufacturer's Samples 25c

Women's Belts Worth up to 98c

A sample line of women's belts made from fancy silk braid, taffeta and Peau de Soie silks and satins; newest designs in buckles and ornaments; belts worth regularly up to 98c; Bargain-Friday, each, 25c.

Sterling Silver Hat Pins 15c

Newest designs in sterling silver hat pins, just the thing to set off your new Easter bonnet; regular 25c values, Friday, each, 15c.

Women's auto bags, in imitation alligator, seal and walrus leather with chain handles; all the popular colors; these are slightly soiled from being shown; regular price 25c; Bargain-Friday, each..... 15c

WAR BULLETINS FROM MANY POINTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—The Japanese Consul-General having verified the completion of the disarmament of the Russian gunboat Mandjur, the Japanese cruiser will according to a Times correspondent, leave Shanghai today. The gunboat has been bottled up in the river at Shanghai since the war began.

NATIVE PREFECT KILLED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEOUL, March 31, 8 a.m.—A report has been received here that, March 27, the native prefect of Pak Chyon, a town about twenty-five miles northwest of Anju, was killed by Russians because he refused to follow their instructions. The Korean garrison at Wiju, at the mouth of the Yalu, has been dispersed by the Russians, who divested the soldiers of their uniforms.

KOREA OWES FRANCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—The Korean Foreign Office has been presented with a claim, says a Herald dispatch from Seoul, for $450,000 by the French charge d'affaires here, in payment for materials ordered from France for use on the Seoul-Wiju Railway, which concession Japan procured from the Korean government, soon after signing the recent alliance protocol.

JAP CRUISER LEAVES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SHANGHAI, March 31.—The Japanese cruiser Akitsushima left here today, the dismantlement of the Russian gunboat Mandjur, which was in Chinese waters when the war broke out, and which remained here, having been completed in accordance with the agreement arrived at on the subject with the local authorities.

NO SUPPLIES TO MANCHURIA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, March 31, 5:15 p.m.—The chief of the commissariat, Rostkovski, says that not a pound of meat or bread is being sent to Manchuria, as the cattle and grain available there are more than sufficient for the demand.

CREDIT TO KRINIZKI.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEBASTOPOL, March 31.—Responding to a dispatch from the commander of the Black Sea fleet, congratulating him on the repulse of the last attempt of the Japanese to blockade Port Arthur, Vice-Admiral Makaroff has telegraphed that the chief credit for the achievement is due to Lieut. Krinizki, who commanded the torpedo-boat destroyer Silni.

"A man who knows his business. Through his skill in discharging the torpedo, the missile struck the prow of the first ship, deflecting the vessel from its course and the other Japanese vessels followed in its wake."

HEINZE PAYS UP.

Hands in Money to Square Violation of Court's Order in re Michael Davitt Claim.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BUTTE (Mont.) March 31.—F. Augustus Heinze, president of the Montana Ore Purchasing Company; A. L. Frank, superintendent of the Johnstown mine, and J. H. Trerise, superintendent of the Rarus mine, today paid their fines for violating the order of the Federal court, enjoining Heinze and the Amalgamated interests from mining the Michael Davitt lode claim. Judge Beatty, in the Federal court, today signed the order asked for by the attorneys of the Butte and Houston Company, granting the Butte and Boston a perpetual inspection of the workings of the Rarus and Johnstown claims.

RECEIVER HINDS'S PAY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

HELENA (Mont.) March 31.—The Supreme Court has reserved the judgment of William Clancy of the District Court of Silver Bow county, allowing Thomas R. Hinds $200,000 as compensation and $31,116 as expenses for the five days he was receiver of the Boston and Montana properties, in the case of Forester and McGinniss vs. the Boston and Montana.

SULLY'S CREDITORS MAY GET SOMETHING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In a statement to be issued to Sully creditors by Receiver David H. Miller and Henry W. Taft, in the near future, there will be some surprising things which will possibly be received with conflicting emotions.

In the first place, creditors will find that Mrs. Daniel S. Sully had an account with the firm of D. J. Sully & Company, and that the books of the company show that $328,000 are due to her.

What will possibly be more welcome news, however, is that the Sully house, which had been variously estimated at from $200,000 to $300,000 but which the receivers value at $100,000, does not belong to Mrs. Sully and never did, as Sully never transferred the title after acquiring the property. It therefore goes in.

Sully's creditors have been growing restive of late, because of the failure of receivers to issue any statement as to the conditions of affairs. These creditors are divided into two cliques—the Cotton Exchange crowd, which is led by Boothby & Baldwin, and which is quite friendly to the receivers, and the minority crowd, principally Stock Exchange folks, who have retained Samuel Untermeyer to look out for their interests. The latter crowd has been doing a lot of "kicking" of late, and it is principally because of this that the receivers will issue a preliminary statement tomorrow.

BRYAN LOSES MONEY.

Jury Decides that He is Not Entitled to Fifty Thousand Dollars Under Bennett Will.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW HAVEN, March 31.—A finding that the sealed letter by which Philo S. Bennett expressed a wish that $50,000 should be given to William J. Bryan and his family was not a part of the last will of Bennett was returned by the jury today in the Superior Court, in the trial of Bryan's appeal from the decision of the Probate Court.

Judge Gager's ruling on the question, which has never before come directly before the courts of Connecticut, decided that the letter could not be admitted as evidence in the trial. The decision followed arguments which had occupied most of the two preceding days on this point. As Bryan's appeal was based on the exclusion of this letter as a part of the will in the Probate Court, the decision practically concluded the proceedings in the Superior Court and the jury was accordingly directed to bring in a verdict against the plaintiff. An appeal will be taken to the Supreme Court.

An interesting feature of the day's proceedings was the statement which Bryan made, that he was willing to give a bond that in no case would the money mentioned in the sealed letter go to himself or family without Mrs. Bennett's consent.

THREE TAKE PLUNGE TO DEATH.

BOISE (Idaho) March 31.—Three persons plunged 210 feet to death over the Shoshone Falls of Snake River last night. They were: Miss Marie Willis, Samuel Graham and an unknown man. Miss Willis ran the ferryboat at this point. Last night she took the boat across.

On the return she found the guide rope was not working properly and put back. Graham and the other man, seeing from the opposite side that there was trouble, took the hotel skiff and crossed to the ferryboat. They took Miss Willis off and started back to the south bank. As the boat neared the shore it filled and went down, all three being lost. No trace of the bodies have been found today. Splinters of the boat were found in the river below the falls.

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BUSINESS.

Bank clearings for March were $28,-865,281.32 against $26,003,623.40 for the month last year and $19,978,302.13 in 1902. Trade yesterday was somewhat slack as is usual on the last day of the month.

Rain in Kansas had a counterbalancing effect on the Chicago wheat market, offsetting firm cables and strength in cash grains. July closed at 87⅝ and May at 95⅞. There were points of strength in the New York stock market, but they were the exceptions, rather than the rule. The money market in New York shows a normal phase.

PRICE AND POSTAGE.

The following table shows the price of the Midwinter Number when sold at The Times office. The edition will be for sale at city news stands as well as out-of-town news agencies, wrapped ready for mailing. The postage will be 5 cents per copy, if news sheets are included, and 4 cents per copy without the news sheets.

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NEW YORK FOR PARKER.

Returns from the Democratic primaries in the State of New York indicate beyond much doubt that the Empire State will go into the National Democratic Convention with a delegation instructed to vote solidly for the nomination of Judge Alton B. Parker as the Democratic candidate for President. This result will be decidedly in the nature of a Waterloo for Mr. Hearst and other boomers who have been relying on the supposedly all-powerful influence of Tammany to prevent such a consummation. Many of the up-State counties, it seems, which had been relied upon to support the Tammany-Murphy-Hearst anti-Parker regime, failed to "make good," but reportedly insisted upon lining up in support of the distinguished jurist who at the present moment seems most likely of all candidates to secure the Democratic nomination for President.

Viewing the question from an independent if not wholly disinterested standpoint, it really seems to "a looker-on in Venice" that the Democratic party of the nation could do no better under any circumstances than to nominate Judge Parker. It is evident without an elaborate analysis of the situation that the party could do very much worse; Hearst, for example—if Hearst can in any serious sense be regarded as a possible nominee. Judge Parker is a man of acknowledged integrity and of large ability. He would be a candidate against whom there could be waged no campaign of personal calumny. His private character is unassailable. If there is anything in his entire career that could be used to place him on the defensive in a political campaign, it has not yet been made apparent. His political record is as clear and unimpeachable as his personal record. In brief, he is a strong, clean man, from first to last, and therefore would be an ideal candidate for the Democracy—or for any other party if he were affiliated with any other.

The nomination of Judge Parker would probably come nearer to reconciling all differences in the Democratic ranks than the nomination of any other candidate whom the Democratic convention could name. In addition to his other qualifications, he would come from a State which it is absolutely necessary that the Democratic party shall carry if it hopes to elect the next President. In the same State will be waged the most determined war that will be made in any State against the Republican candidate, President Roosevelt. While this opposition to the President will not, as viewed from the Republican standpoint, be of a very serious character, it is something which his political opponents should hardly fail to take into account. Therefore, it would seem to be the part of wisdom and political sagacity for the Democratic party, if it is to go into the campaign with any serious thought of success, to choose its candidate from the Empire State. Accepting this conclusion, Judge Parker is beyond all question "the logical candidate," who would stand a far better chance of success at the polls than any other candidate whom the Democratic party could possibly name.

The nomination of Hill would excite antagonisms which would almost certainly defeat him, even if the prospects of Democratic success were tenfold greater than they are. The same may be said of the possible nomination of Cleveland, or Bryan, or Gorman, or any other one of the rather long list of Democratic eligibles. What is most needed by the esteemed Democracy at the present juncture is a candidate who can in some degree bridge over or close up the yawning chasms of divergent opinion in the Democratic ranks. As we have said, Judge Alton B. Parker could probably come nearer to accomplishing this result than any other possible or impossible Democratic candidate. As for the so-called candidacy of W. R. Hearst, it has not yet advanced beyond the point where it elicits, when referred to, anything more definite than a smile of incredulous pity. For all practical purposes it is a negligible factor, and it will so remain to the end of the chapter.

THE TRAGEDY OF THE AGES.

On this day, more than nineteen centuries ago, as time is counted, was wrought among the desolate hills of Judea the tragedy of all the ages. On Friday of the week and at about the third hour, Jesus, the son of Joseph and Mary, of the House of David, suffered an ignominious death upon a cross between two thieves. His hands and feet were nailed to the cruel tree, upon His brow was bent in mockery a crown of thorns, and, over Him in jeering scorn, was scrawled His eulogy: "Jesus of Nazareth, King of the Jews." The only friends that stood about Him in that hour of agony and death were His mother, Mary of Magdala, "that other Mary," and John, the beloved disciple. In all that vast, ribald, drunken, scoffing crowd, His dying eyes saw no other faces than these turned to Him, either in love or gratitude or pity. When the last shudder shook His tortured frame, three brutal soldiers were tossing dice for the raiment He had worn.

So died the Son of the Carpenter, on this day, which the Christian world calls Good. So, like an outcast and a felon, in disgrace and shame, perished the Wanderer, who was born in a manger, and who, His whole life long, had no place wherein to lay His head.

Why, then, is He not forgotten, this Man who passed away thus pitifully so many centuries ago? He who was so poor that none would do Him honor? And why, upon an awed world, this morning, will fall the pall of gloom and penitential grief? Ah, whoever would seek the answer, let him go where he will, today, and he will find it. The crown of thorns has become a crown of glory. The blood that flowed from His wounded side when the soldier drew away the spear glows ever redder upon the earth. Every new morn that dawns with the ceaseless march of the sun proclaims Him anew. Upon every sea and in every land, His sway is reaching and grows ever wider. Far away over homeless plains and desert sands, in the hut and hovel, in stately cities and in halls of kings, His name falls with authority and command. Yesterday He was bound and shackled, lashed, derided and spat upon. Tomorrow He is the King of Kings. The ignominious cross upon which He died has become the sign that conquers.

He was the Prince of Peace and He died for men. And, though, withal, there still be those who will not do Him reverence, there are few who would withhold from Him a sense of gratitude for the good His life accomplished. It were difficult, indeed, to find today anyone who will not gladly admit that the one thing that made the world better and that has set it upon the right pathway was the teachings of Jesus Christ. And if it ever shall be that the world shall live as He would have it live, then, heaven shall exist on earth as well as beyond the stars.

LAST OBSTACLE REMOVED.

Information comes in the form of a dispatch from Paris to the effect that the first civil tribunal of the Seine has decided the case of the republic of Colombia against the Panama Canal Company in favor of the defendants. The court holds that the complaint of Colombia is not valid, and condemns the plaintiffs to pay the costs of the action. The suit, which has been pending for some time, was brought by Colombia for the purpose of preventing the transfer of the Panama Canal Company's property to the United States, the principal point of the contention being that the reorganized Panama Canal Company had not acquired a proper and valid title from the old company, out of the wreck of which the new organization was formed.

The decision just rendered in the French tribunal will have the effect of removing the last of the legal obstacles to the complete transfer of the canal company's property to the United States. The republic of Colombia has been practically eliminated from the case by reason of recent events on the isthmus. Nothing now remains for the United States to do but to close up the details of the transaction, pay over the money—$40,000,000 to the canal company and $10,000,000 to the republic of Panama—take possession of the canal zone and of the canal property, and—build the canal.

The Panama people have become a trifle restive under the delay which our government has deemed necessary before the final closing of the transaction. But this delay could not well have been avoided. It was all essential, of course, that our title to the canal property should be absolutely without a flaw, and the delay has been caused by the necessary work of perfecting it. This work having been completed satisfactorily, there will be little further delay. It may be said with confidence, at last, that the completion of the Panama Canal is an assured fact.

IMPORTANT RAILROAD CHANGES.

The winning power of hard work, persistent work, good work, and loyalty to the interests of one's employer has received another exemplification in the appointment of A. D. Schindler to succeed Epes Randolph as general manager of the Pacific Electric and Interurban Railway, details of which are given in another column of this morning's Times.

The appointment is a surprise, and in one bound Mr. Schindler has reached the highest position in the gift of the vast Huntington interests which are so important a factor in the development of Los Angeles and vicinity. Mr. Schindler steps into a position made difficult by the splendid record of Epes Randolph, but those who know him and should, therefore, be qualified to speak, have every confidence that his sound judgment, originality and progressiveness will make him equal to his greater responsibilities, his larger field and his more important work. Epes Randolph, the retiring general manager, leaves a record of achievement which is extremely gratifying to his friends, and must be so to himself.

It is safe to assert that the great Huntington interests will be administered by Mr. Randolph's successor with the same vigor, wisdom and enterprise which have characterized them in the past, and which have added so materially to the prosperity and rapid development of Southern California.

A TIME FOR LOYALTY.

The first panel for the new Riverside grand jury has been drawn. Every step in the proceedings looking toward the stamping out of corruption in Riverside must be carefully watched. It is a time for unflagging loyalty to the best interests of the city and county.

Twenty-seven names have been drawn. It is the duty of every honest man who is not disqualified (and there are few such in the list,) to serve on this particular jury if he is permitted to do so. If nineteen jurors can be selected from the twenty-seven named in this first panel, there is every reason to believe that the Hays scandal, in all its ramifications, will be thoroughly investigated and wrongdoers properly punished.

The honest people of Riverside are so tremendously in the majority that it should not be difficult to obtain a jury that will give this unfortunate matter the attention and scrutiny it deserves. While the first duty of those who have been selected is to serve if possible, there is a further duty in leaving nothing undone which might in any way contribute toward the unearthing of corruption, no matter where it is found in public or private life.

Too strict surveillance cannot be exercised over the proceedings from this time forward. It is not to be supposed the rascals will cease to fight to cover up their rottenness. All the cunning, all the influence, all the power they may have will be brought to bear to defeat justice. But honesty and the law must win. They always win in the end. They will win in Riverside. But the meting out of justice to wrongdoers should not be retarded. Eternal vigilance is this matter is the price of justice.

The whole State of California will back the honest people of Riverside in their determination and efforts to unearth and punish corruption.

A contest particularly interesting to California, inasmuch as two of the State's prominent citizens are involved, has been precipitated in Congress. Gen. W. R. Shafter was appointed by the House a member of the Board of Managers for National Soldiers' Homes, to succeed Maj. W. H. Bonsall of this city, whose term expires this year, and who decided not to be a candidate for reappointment. But Gen. Shafter will not receive the support of the Senate, for that body has stricken out his name and has substituted the name of ex-Gov. Markham. The supporters of each candidate are firm in their allegiance, and are determined to bring about the final selection of their man, with confidence in their ability to do so. This creates a decidedly lively contest between the two houses, the result of which will be awaited with interest.

Developments in the flag lowering at Newchwang have proved the wisdom of refusing to jump at conclusions. The civil administrator, believing the American flag was used by the Chinese for the purpose of resisting police inspection, ordered the ensign lowered. There were, as suggested by The Times, local conditions which influenced the action. But just as soon as the facts were known, the flag was again hoisted over the correspondents' mess, the Russian police made proper apologies and the incident is closed.

Nicaragua has just purchased 75,000 guns. They are evidently preparing to harvest one of the largest crops of revolutions that has been produced in recent years.

The chicken-raising industry in Pensylvania has taken on new and increased activity, and the proportion of gentlemen to ladies in the yard has been materially increased. An Ardmore tomcat, after escaping bootjacks, blunderbusses, 12-inch guns and divers crockery articles, inadvertently wandered into a chicken yard and was attacked and quickly killed by a rooster.

Reverting briefly to that Possiet Bay incident, it is gratifying to note that the dispatches identified the whale at once. The customary process would have been to report the destruction of a Japanese gunboat, and in the next day's denial incidentally refer to the careless minnow that dallied with the torpedo with such unhygienic results.

A newspaper item asserts that a parcels post in the United States, if similar to that of Germany, would make a saving to the people of $250,000,000. If this is only measurably true, then why in the name of common sense don't we establish a parcels post, as well as a postal check currency?

"It is the man who counts," recently remarked John D. Rockefeller, Jr., to his Sunday-school class. This sentiment, coming frim Mr. Rockefeller, has the real metallic ring to it, and savors of having been spoken from personal knowledge.

Philadelphia "points with pride" to the fact that the richest policeman in that city was worth only $30,000 when he died the other day, and he secured that sum by inheritance. Critics of Philadelphia's municipal government will please take note.

We are willing to forgive much Teutonic cupidity, but when the Germans try to bluff us by shoving a stack of blues into the center by asserting that poker is an old game that has been played in Westphalia for 100 years or more, we protest.

A long delay is in prospect in the case of the Chicago car-barn bandits because they were sentenced to hang two days too late. These culprits will be lucky if Judge Lynch doesn't yet issue a habeas corpus in their cases.

The Judge of the Superior Court at New Haven, in the course of the Bennett will hearing, severely "sat upon" Mr. Bryan. It must have made the "boy orator of the Platte" think he was in a Presidential campaign.

Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria yesterday observed his annual custom of publicly washing the feet of twelve old men. It seems that there are occasional drawbacks connected with being one of the royalty.

The efforts of the Englishman Hutchinson to snow that a relation exists between the prevalence of leprosy and a fish diet have not made any material decrease in the consumption of codfish balls in Boston.

Now that Ada Brush and Melville Brush have filed suits for damages against the Santa Catalina Company, it is high time for the latter to get away from the brush and take to the tall timber.

A Philadelphia paper tells us that the Pennsylva ia miners "face a new cut." This brings the thought that if they were attending strictly to their business, they would be cutting a new face.

But if the flirtatious Mr. Perkins, who in Judge Wilbur's court displayed such familiarity with the innumerable signals of love, cannot talk exactly straight, he can at least make signs.

Chinamen of Vladivostok who get their queues pulled on the suspicion that they are not genuine, are able to testify that even a neutral people have their trials and vicissitudes.

It is to be hoped that Nicaragua, now arming for a great war with the United States, will defer the opening of hostilities until after the Presidential election in this country.

It is understood that no further action will be taken on the proposition to make Grover Cleveland Governor of New Jersey until Mr. Bryan has been heard from on the subject.

To a man up among the boughs, it looks very much as if the New York agencies have quit squeezing oranges, and are applying the process to the growers.

The esteemed Memphis Commercial Appeal says: "What we want to do is to beat Theodore Roosevelt." There you go again, bruvver; crying for the moon.

The wonder is not that Bateman must stand trial for bigamy, but that any newspaper man could afford the luxury of three wives at the same time.

Russia is investing $20,000,000 a month in the war, and so far, there has hardly been a moment when she was not getting her money's worth.

Now that the republic of Panama has acquired a public debt there is no reason why she should not assume her proper place among the powers.

Now that Colombia has been defeated in the French courts in the canal dispute, it would appear that she has reached the last ditch.

Senator Carmack of Tennessee says: "If Hearst is nominated all is lost, including honor." This leaves absolutely nothing to be said.

As yet no one at Port Arthur has heard a Japanese observe to a Russian: "Well, now, wouldn't that cork you?"

Mr. Heinze of Montana paid $20,000 for being in contempt of court. Mr. Heinze must be a very contemptuous man.

In the matter of lives the Ameer of Afghanistan appears to have the proverbial cat outclassed.

The offer of $32,000 recently made in London for a snuffbox dated 1758, is not to be sneezed at.

However, Mr. Bryan is so accustomed to losing $50,000 prizes that he won't mind it.

German to Withdraw.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Gorman will issue a statement within the next two weeks withdrawing as a candidate for Democratic Presidential nomination, and advising his friends to support Judge Parker. This information was given tonight by a Democratic Senator in the confidence of Senator Gorman.

The failure of Arthur Edward Fooks, a small London broker, was announced yesterday.

LEVEE TWICE BROKEN.

Water in Second Stories of Houses and Stock is Sheltered in Haymows in Indiana.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VINCENNES (Ind.) March 31.—The Belgrade levee has broken again and the Wabash is rising again an inch an hour. Water is standing in the principal streets here. It has been raining hard all night and day in Southern Indiana. This county and Lawrence county, Ill., are largely under water. In Lawrence county, the water is in the second stories of houses and barns. Live stock is being quartered in the hay mows. In one schoolhouse, twenty-seven women and children are staying while the men come here in boats for provisions. Water over the tracks and landslides have stopped railroad traffic again.

HAZLETON FILL WASHED AWAY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

EVANSVILLE (Ind.) March 31.—The Hazleton fill, on the Evansville and Terre Haute Railroad, was washed away today, closing traffic between Evansville and Vincennes. A hard rain has been falling for hours, rendering the general situation more serious. The Hazleton fill was constructed at a cost of $600,000.

FLOOD IN MONTANA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BUTTE (Mont.) March 31.—Reports received from Eastern Montana for the past few days state that, owing to melting snows and rain, rivers and creeks in that section are overflooding their banks. At Glendive, the Yellowstone is gorged, and fears are entertained for the safety of the new county bridge, erected a few months ago at a cost of $100,000. The ice in the Tongue River, four miles above Miles City, at its junction with the Yellowstone, has been piled high for several weeks, causing the water to overflow the banks and flood the town, about two weeks ago and again today. The ice finally broke up today and all danger is thought to be past.

Considerable damage was done to property in the town, people being forced to leave their homes in boats. Northern Pacific trains are suffering great delays on account of washouts, and soft tracks east of Billings. All trains are from six to eight hours late.

FARMING LANDS FLOODED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HAVANA (Ill.) March 31.—By the breaking of the big levee here today, more than 12,000 acres of rich farming lands have been flooded to a depth of several feet. The loss is estimated at $75,000.

HEAVY RAIN FALLING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

INDIANAPOLIS, March 31.—Heavy rains have increased the flood danger in the southwestern part of Indiana. Vincennes, Mount Carmel, New Harmony, Grayaville, Princeton, Evansville, Westport and all of Lawrence county, Ill., are suffering from the high water. Westport has been completely abandoned. One death by drowning is reported near Vincennes.

The Wabash has risen six inches today. All telegraph and telephone lines are prostrated. At Mount Carmel, the Wabash has reached the highest stage since 1875. One of the heaviest rains of the year is falling here tonight.

HIGH OFFICIAL GONE.

Alleged Cause of Assignment of Cleveland Trust Company to Similar Concern There.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CLEVELAND, March 31.—The Federal Trust Company today made an assignment to the Guardian Trust Company. The disappearance of one of its prominent officials is the alleged cause. It is understood it will turn over about $1,000,000 in deposits to the assignee. Its total assets will be about $2,000,000. It has a capital stock of $1,500,000, and a surplus fund of $50,000 and about $140,000 undivided profits. According to its last report, it had $2,183,362 in loans and discounts, $45,200 in real estate loans, and owned $729,000 in stocks, bonds and mortgages. Its last statement showed individual deposits of $1,593,328, but officials state the deposits were about $1,000,000 at the close of business last night.

An agreement was practically reached between the directors of the Federal Trust Company and the Guardian Trust Company several days ago, providing for the merging of the two concerns. The disappearance of the official of the Federal Company, however, precipitated matters.

BOSTON TRUST COMPANY FAILS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BOSTON, March 31.—The Union Trust Company closed its doors today. The company was incorporated in 1888, with a capital of $100,000. The president is former Congressman William E. Barrett. The liabilities of the company are placed at $1,600,000, with nominal assets of about the same amount. The difficulties of the concern are attributed to heavy withdrawals by depositors and the inability of the management to realize quickly on securities in order to provide for its usual demands.

"WON'T LOSE A PENNY."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CLEVELAND, March 31.—The deed of assignment to the Guardian Trust Company was signed by J. C. Gilchrist, president, and C. C. Bailey, assistant secretary, to the Federal Trust Company. Officials of both the trust companies declare positively that no depositor will lose a penny as the result of the assignment. It is also stated that the shortage in the accounts of the Federal Trust Company will not exceed $20,000. In view of sensational rumors, however, and the possible liability of a run, it was deemed wise to make an immediate assignment.

ANOTHER ABSORPTION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CLEVELAND, March 31.—It is announced that an agreement has been received whereby the Citizens' Savings and Trust Company will absorb the Prudential Trust Company. The Prudential Trust Company is capitalized at $600,000, with $1,600,000 in deposits.

HE'S REASONABLY FIT.

Department of Justice Says Native Kalua May Still Keep His Job of Judge in Hawaii.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

HONOLULU, March 31.—[By Pacific Cable.] Gov. Carter has received from Washington the report of the Department of Justice on the charges against Judge Kalua of the Second Circuit Court. The report does not recommend that he be removed from office at present, but declares that he should not be reappointed at the expiration of his term, which is June 5.

The charges against Kalua include corruption, intoxication on the bench, incompetence and improper political activity. The report says Kalua admits that he at times takes something to drink, and that he possibly was indiscreet while under the influence of liquor on election day, but that his denials of the other charges against him are satisfactory. It continues as follows:

"It is the general policy of the government to permit natives of our new possessions to hold office if they are reasonably fit, and not to fix too high a standard by which to test them or permit local political feelings to oust them."

Judge Kalua's answer to this report has been a personal and sensational attack upon G. A. Davis, a lawyer who was lately debarred from practice by the Territorial Supreme Court for alleged unprofessional conduct, but who subsequently was reinstated.

Davis left here yesterday on the steamer Ventura on his way to Washington, where he will oppose the reappointment to office of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court Frear and Associate Justice Perry.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

A royal decree issued yesterday retires twelve of the high Servian army officers.

The Broad-street store of the George Company, New York, was burned last night. Loss, $100,000.

The British Antarctic expedition which sailed on the steamer Discovery from London, July 31, 1901, has signaled that it is returning.

The French Chamber of Deputies, yesterday after winding up some minor affairs, adjourned to May 17.

The work of harvesting this year's Australian wheat crop is nearly completed, and the government estimates place the yield at 11,000,000 bushels above the best previous record. Seventeen million bushels are now available for export.

An official trial has been given the Mexican gunboat Vera Cruz. Standardized on the mile course off Sands Point in Long Island Sound, the vessel attained a maximum speed of 16.514 knots and a mean speed of 15.948. During the endurance run up the Sound which followed it showed a speed of 15.95 knots.

Lawyer Max Josephs, whose disappearance from his office in New York, two years ago, baffled the police, is said by his father to be alive and well in Australia, although he was long ago given up and insurance on his life collected, from the Royal Arcanum.

A decision has been delivered by the Board of United States General Appraisers, denying a protest from a Boston importer, raising the question as to whether wool can be mixed in grades so as to obtain a lower rate of duty. The board decided against the mixture, which was brought as a test.

Emperor Francis Joseph yesterday observed the ancient ceremony of washing the feet of twelve old men in the crystal hall of the Hofburg. The hall was filled with distinguished persons. The Emperor was in excellent health.

The Good Friday-Easter holiday will be generally observed in financial and commercial circles in New York. The Stock, Produce and Consolidated Exchanges will be closed today. The Cotton and Coffee Exchanges will close both today and Saturday. All exchanges abroad will be closed until next Tuesday.

Advices from Yokohama are to the effect that Daniel Bacon, Jr., the 21-year-old son of a New York capitalist, has committed suicide there by shooting. Bacon's death was announced, March 11, as being due to pneumonia. He was in Japan in search of health.

Whether a person's own peculiar taste in the matter of tea and coffee is his property or the property of his grocer, will be decided when the injunction suit of the Royal Tea Company against William Gunther comes to trial in the Circuit Court at Chicago. The matter is of such moment that the United States Supreme Court may yet be called upon to determine the commercial value of a whim.

Ground will be broken in May for a theater on the site of Ferris Wheel Park, Chicago. The promoter of the enterprise is Adolph Engel, former manager of the Haymarket Theater. The theater will be known as the Lake View theater, will have a seating capacity of 1945, and will cost $150,000.

The Most Rev. John M. Farley, archbishop of New York, arrived yesterday on the steamship Princess Irene from Naples, after a visit of several weeks in Rome. He said the Pope's health was good, and that he expressed his great love for the United States. He also said he had an important message from the Pope concerning the Catholic University Association, which will be read Easter Sunday morning.

FEBRUARY CIRCULATION OF THE TIMES.

The following is the sworn statement of circulation of The Times for February, 1904:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.:

Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, does solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of that paper printed and sold for each day of February, 1904, as shown by the office records, was as follows:

FEBRUARY, 1904.

1	34,420	16	33,750
2	34,020	17	35,500
3	34,000	18	36,400
4	34,020	19	36,200
5	34,440	20	36,100
6	34,020	21	35,000
7	34,500	22	35,800
8	35,000	23	36,500
9	37,500	24	36,750
10	37,400	25	36,020
11	36,400	26	36,000
12	36,400	27	35,500
13	33,000	28	36,500
14	33,000	29	36,500
15	36,800		
Total			1,100,150

HARRY CHANDLER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of March, 1904.

(Seal) T. L. CHAPIN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

	Copies.
The average circulation for every day of February, 1904, was	37,939
The average circulation for every day of February, 1902, was	35,847
Showing an average daily gain for February, 1904, of	2,092

March 7, 1904.—The total number of returns for the month of February amounted, in the aggregate, to 8045 copies, or an average of 277 copies per day, leaving the net, average, daily, paid circulation for the month named, 37,659 copies.

ADVERTISING.

The Times printed a total of 2750 columns of paid advertising during February, 1904, as against 2743 columns for February, 1903. The other two morning papers combined printed a total of 2648 columns, about equally divided between them. The Times printed 95 columns more advertising than the two of them together.

A comparison of the total advertising printed in The Times during the 29 days of January and the same number of days in February, 1904, respectively, taking in an equal number of Sundays (4) in each month, shows the results given below. (The special advertising in the Annual Midwinter Number, printed on January 1, is not included in these figures.)

	Columns.
For 29 days of January, 1904	2627
For 29 days of February, 1904	2750
Gain in February over January	123

NOTE—The Times is the only newspaper in Los Angeles which regularly makes sworn statements showing net circulation with all returns deducted.

SOUTH DAKOTA DEMOCRATS.

SIOUX FALLS (S. D.) March 31.—After announcing an intention to bolt the National Democratic Convention if Grover Cleveland or any Democrat like him was nominated, former United States Senator Pettigrew was elected chairman of the State delegation from South Dakota. It was before the Democratic State Convention had adjourned and after Pettigrew's selection as a delegate that he declared explicitly an intention to bolt under the conditions named. Pettigrew's election as chairman of the delegation followed today.

The Democratic State Convention has elected the following delegates to the St. Louis convention: John Finslew, Yankton county; R. F. Pettigrew, Minnehaha; A. P. Brennan, Kingsbury; J. A. Stransky, Brule; H. S. Volkar, Grant; E. E. Gross, Potter; Chauncey L. Wood, Pennington; W. J. Whiteley, Lawrence. The convention adjourned sine die at 1:40 o'clock this morning.

A Subtle Hint.

"It's curious, mighty curious," observed Mr. Slypurr, as he picked up his overcoat, "how some lucky fellows get a reputation without half trying. Look at Job, for instance, as a synonym for patience."

"Why, wasn't he tried to the limit of endurance?" cried the shocked Mrs. Slypurr.

"Not much," replied Mr. Slypurr, calmly. "At least there is no record of his having to struggle with a torn sleeve lining in his overcoat all winter."—[Harper's Bazaar.

Great Special Sale

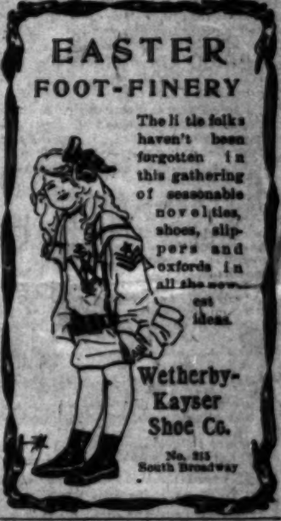
PIANOS

Still Going On

BARTLETT MUSIC COMPANY,

233-235 South Broadway.
Opposite Public Library.

EASTER FOOT-FINERY



The little folks haven't been forgotten in this gathering of seasonable novelties, shoes, slippers and oxfords in all the newest ideas.

Wetherby-Kayser Shoe Co.
No. 315 South Broadway

REPAIRING

Of fine watches and jewelry is a very important part of our business. This department is in charge of an expert, and we can guarantee the best results to be had from high-class skilled labor. You will be satisfied with your repairs if we attend to them for you.

J. G. DONAVAN & CO.
Jewelers and Silversmiths.
245 SOUTH SPRING STREET.

L. A. Optical Co.
LEADING OCULISTS AND OPTICIANS
Satisfaction Guaranteed
319 SOUTH SPRING STREET

Easter Pleasure

RARELY has Easter produced so many new novelties—in the jewelers' line—as this year.

We have anticipated your generosity more largely this year than at any Easter. We have an abundant supply of all the new novelties for this Easter-tide.

Seeking as we do, the newest, the most novel, the best gifts, for all the gift seasons, you are sure to find here the inexpensive as well as the exclusive and the high-priced.

Unequaled Display

Montgomery Bros.
Jewelers and Silversmiths
Douglas Bldg. Spring & 3rd Sts.

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ENGINEERS' CONVENTION.

Underhanded Work to Take it from Los Angeles.

Honor of the Brotherhood is Seriously Involved.

Local Committee Working to Avoid Disgrace.

The Committee of Arrangements for the Sixth Biennial Grand International Convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers is very much incensed at the attempt being made to take the convention away from Los Angeles at the eleventh hour. The committee and members of the local division of the Brotherhood feel that a great injustice will be done them and the people of Los Angeles, generally, if a change in the meeting place is made at this late date. They contend that the honor of the order is involved in the question that has been raised as to the propriety of taking the convention away from Los Angeles after the arrangements for the entertainment of the delegates and visitors were practically complete.

For the last few days the wires have been kept hot by the committee with messages endeavoring to prevent the Brotherhood from committing a gross breach of faith by calling off all the arrangements that have been made and changing the meeting place to Cleveland, O.

MOTION TO MOVE.

Under date of March 22, Grand Chief Engineer Stone sent out from Cleveland, O., Circular No. 2, devoted to the proposed change of meeting place. This circular states that at a meeting of general chairmen of most of the large railway systems of the country, representing 14,000 members of the Brotherhood, the question of transportation to Los Angeles was taken up, and after the facts had been presented and duly considered, a motion was adopted to the effect that the Grand Chief should correspond with the several divisions, outlining the situation, and recommend that the convention be taken from Los Angeles and be held in Cleveland, O.

In accordance with this recommendation, the Grand Chief directed every subdivision to call a special meeting to take a vote on the question and wire the result to the Grand Chief not later than April 6, the final decision to be announced as soon as a two-thirds majority is received.

COMMITTEE'S PROTEST.

Before this circular was mailed the Committee of Arrangements was notified by wire of the contemplated change and requested to suspend all arrangements. The following protest was promptly forwarded:

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 22, 1904.

W. S. Stone, Grand Chief of Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Cleveland, O.:

Impossible to cancel contracts or change arangements six weeks before convention meets. Conditions and transportation matters have been known to you ever since Los Angeles was selected as meeting point. Our honor and the honor of our order is involved and we are bound to protect the same at all events. People of Los Angeles have liberally subscribed for the entertainment. Headquarters have been secured, badges ordered, publications printed, excursions scheduled, and we cannot recede from our position without heavy damage and sacrificing our pledges. Wire answer.

[Signed]

E. STEVENS and Committee.

LAME EXCUSE.

The alleged excuse for attempting to take the convention away from Los Angeles is the belated discovery that delegates from points east of Pittsburgh and Buffalo cannot get passes over lines west of Chicago, but would be required to pay full fare for the round trip from Chicago to Los Angeles and return, amounting to $124, including $15 for Pullman sleeper. It is contended that the special rate of $50 made for the Methodist conference could not be taken advantage of by the engineers, as the conference tickets can be used for the trip westward only between April 26 and May 1, and the engineers' convention is scheduled to open May 11 and last one month. It is contended further that it would be very hard for delegates to procure sleeping-car accommodations to Los Angeles during the early part of May, owing to the great rush of travel to the Methodist conference.

It does not appear that any effort has been made by the general chairmen or any other of the authorities of the brotherhood in the East to get a special rate from the Western roads for the engineers' convention, or to secure an extension of the low rate for the Methodist General Conference, so as to make it applicable to the convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Noting this lack of effort on the part of their Eastern brethren, the Committee of Arrangements has taken hold of the transportation question at this end of the line, and within the last few days has received assurances from the passenger agents that the conference rate will be extended to May 8 for the benefit of the locomotive engineers.

UNDERHANDED WORK.

There is a strong conviction in the minds of the committee and local members of the order generally that there is something more than the question of transportation behind the movement to swing the convention from Los Angeles to Cleveland. It is known that the San Francisco labor-union agitators and the gang of defeated boycotters in this city have been doing their dirtiest best to prevent the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers from meeting in Los Angeles, as a punishment to the business men who have refused to put their heads in the labor-union yoke. It is but fair to state that the local division of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers is not a party to the conspiracy to keep Los Angeles from enjoying the benefits of having so large and respectable a body to assemble here. Los Angeles is a good enough town for the engineers, even though it is not dominated by the walking delegates of less exemplary labor organizations.

From the start the Committee of Arrangements for the big convention has had the hearty cooperation of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association and Chamber of Commerce in the matter of providing ways and means to entertain the visiting engineers, and the members of the committee feel that the question of unionism or the open shop should have nothing to do with breaking off the elaborate arrangements that have been made.

GENEROUS PEOPLE.

"The people in this town have treated us finer than silk," said Secretary Martin yesterday. "Notwithstanding the heavy drain made on them for the Methodist conference and other things, they came up handsomely with subscriptions for the entertainment fund for our convention, and it would be rank ingratitude, as well as a breach of faith, to take the convention elsewhere now.

"When the Los Angeles delegates went to the convention at Norfolk, Va., two years ago, they had not the least idea of asking for the convention this year. San Francisco was there as a candidate for the next meeting, and was prepared to back its claim with a guarantee of $10,000. Cleveland and other cities also wanted it and were prepared to give security for providing amply for the entertainment of the delegates. Notwithstanding the powerful electioneering done by these rival candidates, there was a spontaneous sentiment in favor of Los Angeles. We were told we could have the convention for the asking. We were there without a cent pledged for the purpose and we telegraphed the Chamber of Commerce whether we should put in a bid for it. The answer was 'Yes,' and we got it.

"Upon our return the commercial bodies and business men of this city gave us their hearty support and encouragement and now we feel in honor bound to do our part.

TOO LATE TO BACK OUT.

"We have $8000 pledged, part of which is in the bank, established headquarters, let contracts for badges and souvenirs, arranged for excursions to many points of interest in Southern California and contracted for a big barbecue at Playa del Rey. We cannot rescind all these arrangements without bringing the order into disfavor, and it shall not be done if we can help it."

MESSENGER BOY STABS RIVAL.

CHARLES FARMER BADLY CUT BY UNKNOWN YOUTH.

Stabber Makes His Escape, but Leaves Bicycle to Serve as Clew to His Identity — Rivalry Between Opposition Messenger Companies Results in Bloodshed.

Rivalry between messenger boys resulted in a stabbing affray on Main street, between Second and Third, last night, and as a result Charles Farmer of No. 562 South Main street is suffering from a severe knife thrust in the right side just below the heart.

Farmer's assailant is unknown, as he made his escape immediately after the cutting, but his wheel was left behind, and is now in possession of the police.

About 9 o'clock young Farmer and Nick Cavallera, both employed by the California District Messenger Company, were riding north on Main street when they passed another youth going south. Some words passed and Farmer went, back to argue with the stranger, who immediately drew a knife and stabbed the messenger.

The stranger did not stop to see the effect of the knife thrust, but ran down Main street, forgetting to take his bicycle. Farmer was removed to the Receiving Hospital, where an examination showed that he had received a dangerous, though not necessarily fatal wound.

An intense rivalry has apparently been in existence between messengers employed by different companies during the past few days, and yesterday several of the youngsters amused themselves by phoning in false messages to their rivals. These acts engendered bad blood and several fist fights were indulged in in addition to the cutting affray.

HF THE MARK OF GOOD CLOTHES KNOW US FOR BEST VALUES

Business in Our Boys' Department is on the Jump.

Mothers want their little chaps to be well dressed on Easter morn—that's one reason why our Boys' Department is so busy.

Other reasons are—we show styles that are exclusive, novel, absolutely correct, the very highest standard ever attained in juvenile apparel.

Not a desirable thing missing in our boys' clothing—the very newest creations—handsome fabrics—Sailor Suits, Norfolk Suits, Buster Brown Suits, Wash Suits, School Suits, Dress Suits, perfect fitting for any boy, prices as low as $2.50 and on up to $15.

Also new Hats, Shirts, Waists, Kid Gloves, Neckwear, for the youngster's Easter outfit.

You can bring little Sister here, too—New Reefer Coats for girls, sizes 4 to 14, prices $5 to $15.

The boys are taking intense interest in our Boys' Free Library, the best books for boys reading loaned free.

Harris & Frank
LONDON CLOTHING CO.
117 TO 125 NORTH SPRING STREET

J. W. ROBINSON CO.

BOSTON DRY GOODS STORE.
239 South Broadway, Opposite City Hall, Los Angeles.

Only two more days remain before Easter Sunday, when every lady will be desirous of having a new Easter Hat.

Special Display in Correct

Easter Millinery

We have always been recognized as the center of the most correct millinery in Southern California, always showing the most exclusive styles and the finest imported patterns.

For the next two days we will make a special display of fine headwear for Easter, and will show many

Exclusive Imported Patterns

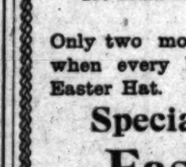
as well as a large line from our own workrooms.

If you have not provided yourself with your new Easter Hat it will be well for you to come to our store within the next two days.

Special Easter Importations

We are showing many new goods especially imported for our Easter trade. Not only in the staple goods needed every day but a large line of fancy wares particularly nice for decorative purposes. You're invited to come, look around and ask prices, even if you are not prepared to buy. Glance at our windows as you pass down the West side of Broadway today.

H. F. Vollmer & Co.
On Broadway,
Corner Third



Kodaks, Photo Supplies, Art Pictures, Framing, Developing, Printing and Enlarging our specialty.
All orders given prompt attention. Send for catalogue.
HOWLAND & CO.
213 So. Broadway

Easter Shoes.

See our window display of swell Easter shoes for men and women. A display equal to this cannot be made any place else on the Coast, and no store in the United States has such a fine front as we have just put in.

Oxfords are the real swell thing for Easter wear. Nothing handsomer than our gun metal Oxford for women, $5. Patent leathers with two-inch heels are also very popular.

The dressiest shoe a man can put on is a pair of our Nettleton patent leather Oxfords.

C. M. Staub Shoe Co.
255 S. Broadway.

TEETH
Inserted Without Plates
Guaranteed
Dr. M. E. Spinks
Corner Fifth and Hill Streets
Established in 1894

Refreshment Sale

Frank B. Long
PIANO
Unequaled in tone. 514 S. Hill St

WUERKER OPTICIAN
229 S. SPRING ST.

BURNS FOR
GOOD SHOES
CHEAP!
240 South Spring Street.

See Swell Suits at Small Prices at
Paris Cloak and Suit Co.
229 South Broadway.

Coulter Dry Goods Co.

Waists for Easter Wear

If it's new, attractive and correct style, it's here at the lowest possible price. That's the story, briefly told, of our great waist selection. Whether a simple cotton waist or an elaborate creation of silk and lace is needed, the Coulter stock shows values and varieties that can't be matched elsewhere in Los Angeles.

Underwear Daintiness

An underwear stock that includes everything a fastidious woman could wish for.

Italian silk corset covers, chemises and vests.

Exquisite hand-made lingerie from the French convents.

Exceptionally fine undermuslins from America's best makers, among which are:

Underskirts of Cambric and Nainsook; beautifully trimmed with laces and embroideries at $2.50 to $10.

Corset covers in many exquisite styles to be worn with Easter costumes. Fine materials, with dainty lace and embroidery trimmings. $1.25 to $5.00.

Women's silk-and-lisle hose in embroidery effects, lace patterns, etc. Some with rich colored embroidery on black.

Ribbons

Corsage and hair ornaments in floral effects; fancy bows; new Roman stripes for belts—every sort of ribbon Fashion sanctions.

Five inch Louisine ribbons with clover-leaf patterns in gauze, 75c a yard.

Four-inch satin Taffeta ribbons, handsomely stamped lily design, 50c a yard.

Neckwear special

Fancy choux containing 1¼ yards of material—full and fluffy pieces of dotted mallnes, solid colors and variegated—made-up ready to wear—sale price 50c each.

Perfumes

Babcock's, Rickseker's, Colgate's Hudnut's and Pinaud's standard odors in bulk or in fancy bottles attractively boxed. 50c an ounce.

Fancy combination packages—2 cakes soap and two bottles perfume for 50c.

Sachet powders

Standard makes in ounce bottles, all odors, 50c.

Sachets in fancy packages, 15c; two for 25c.

Toilet waters of many good makes; full size bottles, 50c.

Neck chains

Neck chains, fan chains and lorgnettes in new ideas, $1.00 to $7.50.

Handkerchiefs

Very sheer linen handkerchiefs, hemstitched with hand-embroidered initial in wreath of poppies, 35c; three for $1.

Sheer linen handkerchiefs (Shamrock brand) with narrow hemstitching and small hand-embroidered initials, semi-laundered.

Same in full laundered, all initials, regularly 35c, special at $1.50 per half dozen. $2.75 per dozen.

Waist sets

Pearl shirt waist sets of 3 pieces, assorted shapes, 25c, 35c, 50c.

White or small, fancy carved, 50c and 75c.

Carved and gold inlaid, $1.00.

Our Easter window displays are well worth a trip down town to see.

Coulter Dry Goods Co. 317-325 South Broadway

H. JEVNE

Bakestuffs for Easter.

Have one of Jevne's fine cakes for Easter instead of doing the baking at home. Friday and Saturday we'll have an unusually large supply of cakes, cookies, pies, bread and other good bakestuffs for your Easter needs. Better baking can't be done in any home. Everything is so fresh and made with the best materials.

SMOKE JEVNE'S FINE CIGARS

208-210 S. Spring St.—Wilcox Building.

Gas Stoves and Ranges.

The "Quick Meal" ranges are world beaters in the saving of your gas bills. They are neat, cool, clean—and quick to prepare a meal. Prices are low, and we absolutely guarantee the stoves.

CASS & SMURR STOVE CO., 314 S. Spring St.

Women's Smart Ville de Easter Attire.
A. FUSENOT CO.
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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	50	32	41	New York	46	36	41
Washington	52	40	46	Buffalo	58	40	49
Pittsburgh	46	44	45	Cincinnati	62	48	55
Chicago	52	38	45	St. Paul	46	36	41
St. Louis	66	58	62	Kansas City	62	46	54
Los Angeles	60	42	51				

*The maximum is for March 30; the minimum for March 31. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Record.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, March 31.—(Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.) At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.08; at 5 p.m., 30.05. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 44 deg. and 60 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 84 per cent.; 5 p.m., 62 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., west, velocity 12 miles. Maximum temperature, 64 deg.; minimum, 42 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—Fair weather prevails on the Pacific Slope, though with some cloudiness on the far northern coast. Snow is falling in Colorado and Wyoming. Freezing weather is reported from the Rocky Mountains to the great plains.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair tonight and Friday.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Weather conditions and general forecast: Fair weather prevails over the Pacific Slope, except in Northern Washington, where it is cloudy. Light rain has fallen in the Rockies. The pressure has fallen rapidly over the northwestern coast and risen over the plateau region. The temperature has risen slowly over the entire Pacific Slope, but is below the normal east of the Sierras. There has been a sharp fall in the rivers of the Upper Sacramento Valley, and but little change in the lower valley. The San Joaquin River at Lathrop continues to rise. Forecast:

For Northern California: Fair, warmer, Friday; light northwest wind.

Southern California: Fair, warmer, Friday; light north wind.

Nevada: Fair, warmer, Friday.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Friday; warmer; light northwest wind.

Arizona: Fair Friday and Saturday.

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FOR SALE—THE FINEST LIST OF PROPERTY IN OCEAN PARK, CONSISTING OF ROOMING-HOUSES, COTTAGE HOMES, BUILDING LOTS, ACREAGE AND BUSINESS PROPERTY; ALSO GOOD RENTALS. DAVIS M. CLARK, 1105 S. SECOND ST., PHONE 473, OCEAN PARK. 3

WOOD AND IRON PRESERVING CO. We construct wharves and preserve piling, ties, poles, posts, planking, mining and foundation timbers, iron pipe, steel lath, brick, etc. Office, 319-320 DOUGLAS BLDG. Tel. Main 562, Home 562.

PEERLESS DYE WORKS, INC., 722 S. LOS Angeles st., do the best cleaning, pressing, repairing and dyeing at the lowest possible prices. Sunset 'phone Main 2294; Home 'phone 2912.

NOTICE — THE SUE RESTAURANT AND lease, at 753½ Alameda st., has been sold to Wong Tow, who will reopen next Saturday, April 2. Everything new and first-class; new cook. 7

PIONEER STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Carpets cleaned and relaid same day if desired. We buy and sell carpets. 437 S. BROADWAY. Tel. Main 217, Home 217.

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TUBERCULAR PATIENTS CAN RECEIVE every care and attention at reasonable rates at 1301 S. HOPE ST. 'Phone West 46; Home 1876.

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FEATHER PILLOWS RENOVATED AT ACME FEATHER WORKS, 1102 E. Seventh st. Tel. Sunset Main 1166; Home 6041.

NOTICE — WEATHERED OAK FINISHES. CALIFORNIA FURNITURE POLISHING CO., 109 W. Seventh. Home 879.

FRUIT, SHADE AND ORNAMENTAL trees, roses, etc. FANCHER CREEK NURSERY, 227 S. Spring. 1

MEN'S UNDERCLOTHES WASHED AND mended; rough dry washing done. TEL. HOME 4378. 5

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SOCIETY MEETINGS—

VEDANTA SOCIETY LECTURES: THE Swami Trigunatita of India will lecture in Camera Club Hall, Wright & Callender Bldg., 227 S. Hill st., Sunday, April 3, at 3 p.m. Subject, "Basis of Christianity on Logic and Science." Seats free. Everyone welcome. 3

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PERSONAL — MRS. PARKER, RELIABLE life reading; palmist; business; lawsuits; mineral locations described; speculations; property, love affairs. 414½ S. SPRING ST., room 3. 50c to $1.

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PERSONAL—MRS. J. J. WHITNEY, BUSIness psychic and life reader. 205½ S. Spring. Ramona Bldg. 'Phone 3009. 27

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, 321½ S. SPRING, palmist, card reader. Ladies, 25c; men, 50c.

PERSONAL—

PERSONAL—$5 LIFE READING FOR $1. —BY— PROF. VON HECK, Direct from Herald Square, New York City. WORLD'S GREATEST PSYCHIC. PALMIST, 115½ S. BROADWAY, LOS ANGELES. PHONE JAMES 8141.

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There is about him no air of mysticism, no tinselled stars, no Egyptian robes, no dark-room scenes, no burning incense, and no imposition.

Absolute satisfaction his best and ONLY advertisement. This week his famous $5 life reading for $1.

10 a.m. till 8 p.m.; Sunday, 11 to 4.

The poor just as welcome as the rich; no partiality with Von Heck. 2

PERSONAL — PROF. ALTHOUSE, MOST skillful scientific palmist in country. 341½ S. SPRING (evenings.)

PERSONAL—RATE FOR ADS. UNDER THIS heading, 10c per line; minimum charge, 30c.

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Help, Male.

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116 and 118 East Second Street, Between Main and Los Angeles sts. Largest and best equipped offices on the Pacific Coast. TELEPHONE MAIN 509. HOME 509.

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Grocery clerk and solicit, $12 wk; young man for butcher wagon; boys with wheel deliver, $5 wk; married man, ranch, $37.50 and house; boy learn painting, $4 to $9 wk; ranch teamster, $30 etc.; boy for fruit wagon, $12 etc. month; ranch hand, Imperial, $1.50; tunnel man, Daggett, $2.25 and $2.50.

HOTEL AND RESTAURANT DEPT.

Restauranut cook, $60 etc.; man and wife, cook, etc., $55 etc.; hotel storeroom man, $35 etc.; experienced hotel night clerk, $45 etc.; camp cook, $40 etc.; second baker, $10 wk etc.; first-class hotel steward $60 etc. mo.; diswashers, $7 and $8 etc. wk and $25 month.

HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT.

Nurse girl, city, $25 etc.; another, country, $25; family cook, city, $30 and $35; housegirls, city and country, $25 and $30 etc. girls to assist, $15 and $20 etc.

WOMEN'S HOTEL AND REST. DEPT.

Cook, country hotel, $50 etc.; pastry cook, small place, $30 etc.; rest. cook, $39 etc.; pantry women, $25 etc.; 2 waitresses, Nordhoff, $30 etc.; another, Arizona, $30 etc.; waitresses, Hot Springs city, and many good places, $28 etc.; head laundress, $40 etc.; 2 rest. waitresses, $8 wk.

HUMMEL BROS. & CO. 1

WANTED—HURRAH! HURRAH! HURRAH! Long live the Mikado and the Highly Respected President of the United States. Those who sympathise with the Japanese in the Russo-Japanese war, kindly give them a job. The loyal Japanese are willing to work hard. We have a regiment of Japanese working army who are seeking for positions as cooks, waiters, porters, etc. Please apply to TETSU OYAMA'S JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE for their help, room 22, 134½ N. Spring st. Phones 373, Main 2971. Day work by brave Japs furnished. Remember the name. The Tetsu Oyama's is the best. 1

WANTED — JAPANESE HELP! HELP!! HELP!!! PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 621 W. Sixth st. Housecleaning department. 'Phones Home 1078, Main 1714. Most reliable helps promptly furnished; ranch work by contract; also Japanese merchandise sold here. 6

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 546 S. Olive street. 'Phone Main 1347, Home 3728. Strictly first-class and largest agency in this city; carefully-selected male and female help of all descriptions and nationalities furnished promptly; labor furnished by the day.

WANTED— —JAP— —JAPANESE— —JAPANESE HELP— MAIN 2971, HOME 373. TETSU OYAMA'S JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE. Room 22, 134½ N. Spring st. 5

WANTED—FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' LABOR BUREAU. 114 E. First st. Phones James 8541, Home 2341. Camp blacksmith, $2 and board; miller, $30 and found; teamsters, $1.65 and $2; ranch hands, $25, and others. 1

WANTED—SHIP TODAY. IMPERIAL—IMPERIAL. FREE FARE FREE FARE. 30 laborers and fence builders, $2. 1 teamster, city, $1.75 and board. Call at 8 a.m., 106 N. LOS ANGELES. 1

WANTED— HELP. JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 125 W. Ninth st. Cooks, waiters, porters, and all kinds of help furnished. Tel. Home 4690. Main 2330. 7

WANTED—CONTRACTOR WHO CAN FIGure close to alter and construct building; must be up in bridge work, polished floors and fine work; reference and good bond required; large contracts given if satisfactory. Address GEO. NOBLE TODD, 206 Laughlin Bldg. 3

WANTED—JAPANESE LABOR HOME EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 112 ROSE ST. 'Phone Black 31; Home 1684. Help of every description promptly furnished; ranch work by contract. 5

WANTED—EXPERIENCED TRAVELING salesman with clean record to fill vacancy April 1. Large established Cleveland house. High commission contract with $25 weekly advance while traveling. W. E. HODGMAN & CO., 90 to 94 Prospect st., Cleveland, O. 3

WANTED—JAPANESE INFORMATION BUREAU AND LABORERS' HOME, 425 TURNER ST. TEL. MAIN 3049; HOME 7489. 4

WANTED—ARE YOU COMPETENT? WE have positions for managers, salesmen, office men and technical men paying $1000 to $5000 a year. High-grade exclusively. Ask for booklet. HAPGOODS, suite H, 502 Pioneer Bldg., Seattle. 25

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 503 W. Sixth st., near Central Park. All kinds help furnished promptly, cooks, waiters, porters, ranch hands, house and window cleaners. TEL. MAIN 2764; HOME 1253.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH BUSINESS experience for a busy city office business; guaranteed salary $20 week, also extra profits; must have $1000 cash for investment in business. 215 COPP BUILDING. 1

WANTED — 3 BOYS WITH WHEELS FOR special delivery, and 2 boys for messengers to accompany auto delivery cars; must know the city well. Apply 8 a.m., AUTO DELIVERY CO., 120 E. Ninth. 1

WANTED — WE TEACH BARBER TRADE and pay you wages while learning; lowest rate on the Coast. Call or address AMERICAN BARBER COLLEGE CO., incorporated, 413 N. Main. 3

WANTED—EFFICIENT AND EXPERIENCED clerks and office men who want permanent situations with reliable good-paying business houses, country and city; apply 215 COPP BLDG. 1

WANTED—MEN LEARN BARBER TRADE; only requires 8 weeks; special offer; constant practice; expert instruction. Catalogue free. MOLER SYSTEM COLLEGE, 8 F.

WANTED—SALESMAN; MUST BE GOOD rustler and well recommended; state age, previous employment and salary required. Address P, box 100, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — A CITY CANVASSER WITH wheel, age between 20 and 40; steady employment to the right man. Apply between 9 and 10, or 5 and 6, 323 NEW HIGH. 1

WANTED—BOY OVER 16 TO SELL LEMON tablets on Santa Monica trains and in theater, $7 to $10 per week. Call early this morning. S. W. BUELL, 120 N. Main. 1

WANTED—A DRUG CLERK; WAGES $20 per week. Address, stating qualifications and where an interview may be had. F. H. J., R, Box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—ENERGETIC MAN TO HANDLE established laundry route, $300 cash; reference required; good salary. Address P, box 31, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—BOY ABOUT 16 LIVING WITH parents, for office, wholesale house, opportunity for promotion. Address R, Box 49, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—HARDWARE SALESMAN, LINen-goods, collector, office, store, hotel, factory. 18 others. EDWARD NITTINGER, 232½ S. MAIN. 4

WANTED — HIGH-CLASS BOOKKEEPER for large firm; good penmanship and A1 references required. Apply at once. 525 BYRNE BLOCK. 1

WANTED
Help, Male.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED COACHman; must have first-class references. Answer stating references. Address R, Box 48, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—A BUSINESS MAN OF GOOD address for outside work in connection with old-established city house. Apply PHONE RED, 5913. 1

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS PRESSER ON coats and pants; steady work and good pay. FLETCHER TAILORING CO., 343 S. Broadway. 2

WANTED — RELIABLE MAN FOR LIGHT work, steady employment; can make $20 week. 206½ S. BROADWAY, room 23. 1

WANTED — BOY FOR SMALL RANCH, from 16 to 18 years old; must know how to milk. BEN HISS, Hermosa Beach. 3

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE FOR RANCH near city, $45 month. Call early, 210 E. SECOND ST. Hansen Employment Office. 1

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO DO LIGHT janitor work for tuition at the WOODBURY BUSINESS COLLEGE, 809 S. Hill st.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN STENOGRAPHER and typewriter. Address "BANK," box 55, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED PLATEN press feeder. Apply DILLINGHAM'S, 315 W. Second. 3

WANTED—BARTENDER, AT 561 S. OLIVE st. Call between 11 and 2. Inquire for J. W. HYDE. 1

WANTED—SEVERAL GOOD SOLICITORS, $1 per day and commission. Apply 643 W. 25TH ST. 2

WANTED — NON-UNION CARPENTER who wants to work. 1342 INGRAHAM ST. 1

WANTED—MEN LEARN BARBER TRADE, $15 wages paid. 122 E. SECOND ST. 1

WANTED—GOOD STEADY BOY AS PORter in barber shop at 166 N. MAIN. 2

WANTED—BOYS 18 YEARS OF AGE. L. A. COOPERAGE CO., Bay and Mateo. 31

WANTED—PRESSER ON MEN'S CLOTHing. Call 1368 S. MAIN. 2

WANTED—OPERATOR ON COATS. APply 120 N. MAIN, room 5. 31

WANTED — EXPERIENCED PORTER FOR saloon. 517 N. MAIN. 1

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS PRESSER AT 308 W. SIXTH ST. 1

WANTED—PANTSMAKER—WALKER, THE Tailor, 432 S. Main. 1

WANTED—
Help, Female.

WANTED—FORTIN & HAWKINS. Female Department, Ramona Blk. Corner Third and Spring. Rooms 23-25. 'Phones Main 2306. Home 1672.

4 short order cooks, $9, $10, $12 week; waist finisher, $8 week; 2 family cooks, $35; German housekeeper (age 30,) $20; 6 hand ironers, $1.50; girl, tamale shop, $5 week; 2 dishwashers, $3 and $4; shirt finisher, $8; shirt polisher, $8; sleever, $5; shaker, $5; 40 waitresses, San Jacinto, beaches, country and mountains, Bakersfield, $20, $25, $27.50, $30; restaurants, $7, $8, $9; also meals, 50c, 75c; pantry women, $7, $8, $9; chambermaids, $20, $25, $30; 25 girls, general housework, $30, $25, $30, $35; colored woman, general housework, Perris, Cal., $25 and fare paid; women, day work, $1.50; seamstresses, $1, $1.25, $1.50; janitress, $25; widower with two grown girls wants housekeeper, wages $40 per month. 1

WANTED — PARLOR MAID AND WAITress with reference, $30; 2 second girls, city, $25; man and wife for desert ranch, $55; housegirl for Victorville, $30; chambermaid, country hotel, $20; four waitresses, $5; chamberwork, city, $20; 3 housegirls, Pasadena, $25; second girl, Pasadena, $25; colored second girl, $25; chambermaid, institution, $25; housegirl for 2, $25, many similar places. Housegirl for two, Ocean Park, $25; laundress, San Pedro, $25; laundress, institution, $30; cook, $30; French maid at Redlands, $25; young girl to assist, $15. MRS. HAWLEY, 304 S. Broadway. 1

WANTED—THE HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 455 S. Broadway. Phones Main 1830, Home 3425. Waitress, institution, $20, etc.; one, Covina, $20, etc.; colored girl, $20; another, $15; two girls to assist, $20; middle-aged woman for old couple, $35; several general housework places, $20, $25 and $30. Good pantry woman, $25, etc. 1

WANTED—YOUNG LADY, HELP TO DO housework, fine opportunity for the right party, $10 month and a musical education, eat same table, ride same carriage with family; 2 waitresses, $8; pantry woman, $8; dishwasher, $8; pastry cook, $9 and room; chambermaid, hotel, $20. MARKS' EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 125 E. Second st. Both phones 445. Girl take cash and assist dining-room, $5. 1

WANTED—GOOD COOK AND HOUSEWORK $25; waitress, $25; cook and down-stairs work, $30; colored girl cook, $30; chamber girl, $20; pantry woman, beach, $25; cook, private place, $30; pastry cook and helper, $65; housework, country, $20. Leave orders for the "Housecleaners." REED'S, 314 W. Second. Red 7197. Home 2502. 1

WANTED—THE HELPMATE, 120 N. MAIN. Phones, Home 3627, Main 3862. "Phone your wants." We want girls for general housework, $20, $25, $30; waitresses, cooks and kitchen help, good waitress for beach, $25. 1 presser, for dye works. 1

WANTED—OFFICE LADY, STENOGRAPHer, saleslady, crockery, notions, drugs, gloves, millinery, attendant, alterer, dressmaker, house, chamberwork, 14 others. EDWARD NITTINGER, 232½ S. MAIN. 4

WANTED—COOK, CITY BOARDING-HOUSE, will take colored, $35; cook and helper, small hotel, country, $35, $25, fare; waitress, country, $25, fare. MISS WEAVER, 340½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—A HEALTHY WOMAN OR GIRL to work for room, board and small wages; good home for right party; none but responsible person need apply. Call forenoons, 432 E. 35TH. 1

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork to go to Oxnard; family three adults; small washing; must be good cook; neat appearance; $25. Address W. W., Box 8, Oxnard, Cal.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRLS TO LEARN CUStom shirt making, also experienced operators at once; excellent opportunity. BLUMB & SPENCE, 343 S. Broadway, fourth floor. 3

WANTED—REFINED YOUNG GIRL FOR BATHS AND MASSAGE. PALATIAL BATHS, 445½ S. SPRING ST. 1

WANTED—3 BUSINESS WOMEN, SALARY $75 month and expenses; permanent. Small deposit for samples. Call afternoons, Friday Saturday. WITMER CO., 222½ S. Hill. 1

WANTED—A WORKING HOUSEKEEPER, one active and not afraid to work. In reference to position apply at TURKISH BATH, 340 S. HILL, bet. 2 and 5 p.m. 1

WANTED—GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEwork; German preferred. Call at second house on right, EAGLE ROCK AVE., north Garvanza schoolhouse. 1

WANTED — EXPERIENCED MILLINERY saleslady; must be first-class. Apply MARVEL MILLINERY, 241 S. Broadway.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED MILLINERY makers, must be first class. Apply MARVEL MILLINERY, 241-243 S. Broadway.

WANTED — MRS. DR. SPENCER'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 125½ E. Fourth st., for women only. 'Phone James 5421.

WANTED—AN EXPERT MANICURIST and shampooer for MRS. GEORGIA MERRILL MURRAY, 736 S. Broadway. 2

WANTED — LADIES OF INTELLIGENCE and ability for agreeable, well-paid work. Address R, Box 52, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework in family of 2, at 919 BURLINGTON AVE. Call Friday. 1

WANTED—SALESLADIES ON MILLINERY; good salaries paid. Apply VIENNA EMPORIUM, 349 S. Broadway. 3

WANTED—2 EXPERIENCED VEST AND button-hole makers, immediately. 142 S. BROADWAY, room 219. 4

WANTED—APPRENTICE TO LEARN MILlinery trade. Apply MARVEL MILLINERY, 241 S. Broadway.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESLADIES, dry goods, notions and other lines. Apply 525 BYRNE BLOCK.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WOMAN COOK and for general housework. Call at 2623 S. FIGUEROA.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS TAILORESS ON ladies' tailoring; also neat sewers. COHN, 503 S. Figueroa. 1

WANTED—GIRL OR WOMAN FOR GENERal housework, good wages. Call 1349 S. UNION AVE. 1

WANTED—WOMAN WITH HUSBAND TO take charge of lodging-house. Call 639 S. BROADWAY. 1

WANTED—EXPERIENCED NECK BAND and body ironer. PALACE LAUNDRY, 241 E. Fifth. 1

WANTED—SEVERAL GOOD SOLICITORS, $1 per day and commissions. Apply 643 W. 25TH ST. 2

WANTED—YOUNG LADY TO LEARN photo retouching. Address P, box 13, TIMES OFFICE. 31

WANTED—NURSE FOR INFANT AND light housework. Call at 2625 S. FIGUEROA ST. 1

WANTED — EXPERIENCED MILLINERY salesladies. THE WONDER, 219 S. Spring. 31

WANTED—GIRL FOR LIGHT HOUSEwork, no washing. Apply 961 E. 12TH ST. 31

WANTED — EXPERIENCED TRIMMER. Call Friday after 9 a.m., 707 S. BROADWAY. 1

WANTED—NURSE GIRL TO TAKE CARE of baby. Apply 1651 S. GRAND AVE. 31

WANTED—
Help, Female.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS WAITRESSES AT CASA GRAND CAFE, 647 S. Grand ave. 2

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR BAkery at 2321 CENTRAL AVE. 2

WANTED — SALESLADIES. FRANK K. SCOFIELD, 105 N. Spring. 1

WANTED—COOK, 327 TEMPLE ST. CALL between 8 and 11 a.m. 1

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS SKIRT HAND. 217½ S. SPRING. 2

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.

WANTED—COLORED COUPLE, WOMAN to do light housework for board of husband. Address M, box 21, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

WANTED—YOUNG MARRIED MAN WANTS work of any kind with some business firm where there is a chance for advancement; can furnish city references and bonds if required. Address R, Box 58, TIMES OFFICE. 7

WANTED — TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ads. Ring up Press One any time of day or night and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rate 1 cent a word each insertion. Minimum charge, 25 cents.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN OF 25 WISHES position, is very handy with tools, would make good assistant for gun or locksmith or carpenter; also understands clerking. Address P, box 65, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — POSITION AS TIMEKEEPER and shipping clerk for coal mining company anywhere; experienced and possess best recommendations; state salary. Address R, Box 35, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—SITUATION, COLORED BOY 14 years old, to learn to do housework and care of lawn and houses; willing to start with small salary. Address R, Box 42, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — TINSMITH, SHEET-IRON worker, familiar with furnace work; can do plain bricklaying and carpenter work, wants employment. Address R, Box 56, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—JAPANESE YOUNG MAN WHO is a pupil of city High School, wants a situation for working in store, etc., every afternoon or night. NOBANA, 605 S. Grand. Home 5389. 3

WANTED—COACHMAN WISHES A POSItion, lately from the East; can give the very best of references; no objection to going out of town. Address R, Box 63, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—POSITION AS ASSISTANT IN auditors or secretary's office of an oil or coal producing company; state salary; first class recommendation. Address R, Box 28, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — POSITION AS ASSISTANT book-keeper or as time-keeper for mining or oil company, anywhere; AA references. Address BARON, R, box 85, Times office. 2

WANTED—POSITION AS BILLING AND shipping clerk for large lumber concern; go anywhere, state salary; best reference. Address R, Box 34, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—A DRUG CLERK, WAGES $20 per week. Address, stating qualifications and where an interview may be had. F. H. J., P, box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—SITUATION AT ANY CITY, BY competent young Japanese, as cook or butler; 7 years' experience; sealed note only. KENT, room 8, 400½ N. Main. 4

WANTED—SITUATION BY FIRST-CLASS Japanese cook, who is willing to best any kind work; city or country. Address N, box 91, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS BOOKKEEPER will post books for small business houses at very reasonable price. Address R, Box 64, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—MARRIED MAN OF 30 WANTS position as bookkeeper or general office man; good references. Address R, Box 64, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—POSITION AS CARE-TAKER or driver of automobile by experienced man; can give best reference. E. C. WHISLER, 713 Central ave. 1

WANTED—WIDE-AWAKE BOY OF 14 AND of good family, desires employment in downtown district. Address R, Box 64, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—SET OF BOOKS TO KEEP 3 OR 4 evenings in the week, by very competent bookkeeper. Address R, Box 28, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — THOROUGHLY COMPETENT double entry book-keeper wants position with reliable firm. Address P, box 74, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WANTS WORK on ranch; strong and willing; no experience; good home. Address R, box 77, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — POSITION IN ENGINE-ROOM or machine shop by student in mechanical engineering. Address R, Box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — CARPENTER WORK, $1.75; have carpentered 18 months actual time. Please address R, box 14, TIMES OFFICE. 31

WANTED — RELIABLE MAN WANTS steady work around private place for small wages. Address R, box 7, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — JAPANESE, MUCH EXPERIenced, chamber boy, wishes a position. 431 W. SIXTH. 'Phones Home 1078, Main 1714.

WANTED—POSITION BY JAPANESE COOK in private family; can furnish best of reference. HAMANO, 278 Wilmington st. 3

WANTED—GARDENER AND STABLEMAN, steady and reliable, would like situation. Address R, Box 29, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—MARRIED MAN WANTS WORK good at gardening and handy with tools. Address R, Box 43, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — WOULD BUILD YOU CHEAP house, barn, fence work, nine hours, moderate wages. 'PHONE BLACK 3664. 31

WANTED — GENERAL MERCHANDISE man wants job; no objections to country. Address P, box 64, TIMES OFFICE. 31

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, STRONG, WANTS position at anything; good references. MALLEN, Hawkeye House, Monrovia. 1

WANTED—MAN, HANDY WITH TOOLS, wants work by day or week. DALY, 636 W. Jefferson. 'Phone Pico 4122. 1

WANTED—GOOD KITCHEN HAND WANTS situation as dish or pot washer. Address R, Box 41, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—SITUATION BY FIRST-CLASS coachman, highly recommended. Address R, Box 55, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — SITUATION BY EXPERT candy and ice-cream maker. L. J. ALEXANDER, 201 N. Spring st. 3

WANTED—BY JAPANESE YOUNG BOY, situation as help in family. Address R, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—SITUATION AS GARDENER. Address R, box 10, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

WANTED—POSITION IN MOUNTAINS OR on ranch near Redlands to assist with housework; no washing; or chambermaid in mountain hotel; no other position wanted; write, stating wages, No. 125 E. Fourth st. EMMA WIEHLE. 3

WANTED—HOUSECLEANING TIME. The most reliable and experienced male and female help furnished; prices reasonable. Tel. Home 2502.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY OF 18 DESIRES position as stenographer; experienced in hay and grain commission business; good references. Address R, Box 64, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—YOUNG ENGLISH WOMAN wishes position as governess or companion; is experienced and can furnish best references. Address H, box 87, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION AS COOK OR GENeral housework in private family, by young colored woman. Pasadena or country preferred. Address 225½ E. SEVENTH ST. 2

WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED YOUNG woman, position as attendant in doctor's or dentist's office. Address P, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — A WOMAN WOULD LIKE A position as chambermaid or pantry woman; city or country. Address R, Box 65, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — POSITION BY COMPETENT stenographer, 5 years' experience, 4 years in last place. Address R, Box 65, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — CASHIER WORK, 3 YEARS experience in first-class cafe in Minneapolis. MRS. JENNIE McGRADE, 828 E. 23d st. 3

WANTED—JAPANESE GIRL WANTS POSItion as housework or nurse in family. MATEO M. E. MISSION, 533 S. Broadway. 2

WANTED—SITUATION AS NURSE GIRL; fond of children; no objection to traveling. Address R, box 106, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—BY AMERICAN WOMAN, PLACE as housekeeper, widower's family. Address P, box 45, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GERMAN COOK wishes position in private family. Tel. Main 1867. R., 312 E. NINTH.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS GERMAN COOK wishes situation. Wages $35. MRS. HAWLEY, 254 S. Broadway. 1

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL FOR LIGHT housework. Apply 1919 PARK GROVE AVE. 1

WANTED—HAND SHIRT IRONER. MUNGER'S LAUNDRY, 814 S. Main. 1

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE WISH POSItion in hotel, man as waiter, woman chambermaid or pantry; from Kansas City. Write to 234 S. WORKMAN ST., East Los Angeles. 1

WANTED — COLORED MAN AND WIFE want situation country or city; good reference. Address R, Box 60, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—WORK ON RANCH BY MAN and wife, experienced. Call 622 N. GRAND AVE. 2

WANTED
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—SOLICITOR, OWNING OWN rig, for first-class cash grocery, coal, etc.; southeast; to man with good trade will pay salary or good flat commission; choice stock and good prices. No credit except you be responsible. A good reliable man can make a permanent position for himself. Apply O, box 28, TIMES OFFICE. 22

WANTED—AT ONCE: 10 CANVASSERS IN this city; also one or more in every town in county to take orders for 3500 of the leading American and foreign magazines and newspapers. A1 reference required. Apply in person only, at 415 BRALY BLDG., cor. Fourth and Spring st. 1

WANTED—LADIES AND GENTS, IF LOOKing for something new and the quickest seller on earth, come to 913 VALENCIA, in rear, 8 to 12 a.m. 2

WANTED—SUCCESSFUL INSURANCE SOlicitors to take up more profitable work; new, novel, catchy. 539 LAUGHLIN BLDG., 2 to 5 p.m. 3

WANTED—AGENTS OR SOLICITORS; ½ profit. Call 651 KOHLER ST. 31

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WANTED—PARTNERS— EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.'S INVESTMENT DEPARTMENT HAS UPON ITS LISTS A NUMBER OF WELL ESTABLISHED CONCERNS IN THIS CITY THAT NEED MORE CAPITAL. THESE CONCERNS ARE GROWING AND PROFITABLE BUSINESS HOUSES, BUT HAVE OUTGROWN THE AMOUNT OF CAPITAL EMPLOYED. WE CAN PUT YOU IN A BUSINESS UNDER PARTNERSHIP INTEREST WITH AN INVESTMENT OF FROM $1000 TO $20,0000. EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., Est. 1885. Members L. A. Realty Board. 216-218 W. SECOND ST. 1

WANTED — PARTNER IN FACTORY OF fine art goods; up to date; to enlargement requisite $10,000. Address R, Box 37, TIMES OFFICE. 3

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WANTED—PARTNER; MAN OR WOMAN, to take interest in paying E. P. hotel of about 65 rooms. Require about $3500. This is a good opportunity. Address R, Box 51, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — PARTNER; A LONE WIDOW wishes a party to join her in buying a small place of business at one of the beaches. MRS. ALLEN, 738 S. Spring st. 1

WANTED—A PARTNER WITH BUSINESS ability and $300 for half interest in good business; party must be good solicitor. Address R, box 2, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—PARTNER FOR A SUBSTANtial manufacturing business enterprise; must have $1000 cash; no agents need answer. Address J. G. H., P.O. BOX, 1054. 1

WANTED — A PARTNER IN GOOD paying bootblack stand; must have $60. 441 S. MAIN. 2

WANTED
Rooms.

WANTED—THREE UNFURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms in private family for occupancy April 15, by man and wife, no children. Address before April 3, R, Box 45, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—BY 2 ADULTS, 2 UNFURNISHed rooms with private family, reasonable rent; preferably southwest; answer immediately. 2622 NORMANDIE AVE. 1

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED—A FURNISHED FOUR-ROOM cottage; rent not to exceed $18, or would take care of furnished house during summer season. Address R, box 5, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—
To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED — VACANT LOT IN DENVER, Colo.; will give a modern 7-room cottage, well located, in Los Angeles; also well improved farms in Michigan and income business property in Bay City, Mich., for Los Angeles property; will put in some cash with this property. G. W. YOUNGBLOOD, 304 S. Hill. 2

WANTED—"WE CAN SELL ANY PROPERTY WORTH THE PRICE." We will buy your bargains. "If your price is right" list your property with FREDERICK A. HOLMES & CO., Red 1462. Home 2843. 404 GRANT BLDG.

WANTED — FOUR, FIVE OR SIX-ROOM cottage from owner; please give price, terms, location and address of owner for answer. Address P, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—TO PURCHASE A 5 OR 6-ROOM new and modern cottage with large lot; will pay $150 down and $20 a month. 304 W. SEVENTH ST., near Broadway. 3

WANTED—I WANT A HOUSE OR COTtage, already rented, as an investment; will pay cash; property MUST BE A BARGAIN. 214 W. SECOND ST. Home 6068. 13

WANTED—FROM OWNER, THE BEST 6-room modern house with lot 50x150, southwest, that $3000 will buy. F. A. HUTCHINSON, 428 Byrne Bldg. 3

WANTED—TO PURCHASE 10 TO 20-ACRE orange grove; must be well located. What have you? 306 W. SEVENTH ST., near Broadway. 3

WANTED—EQUITY, OCEAN PARK COTtage; choice location 6 or 7 rooms. 233 BRADBURY BLDG. G. W. Clark. 2

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WANTED — CANCELLED POSTAGE stamps; want 10,000 immediately; $3 per hundred. Send dime for list of those wanted. INTERNATIONAL STAMP CO., 263 Buhl Block, Detroit, Mich.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE A ROOMINGhouse if price and location suits; your money is ready. Address 205 MASON OPERAHOUSE, or Tel. Home 1844.

WANTED—TURKEY EGGS FOR HATCHing from 1 to 15 dozen; state price per dozen. Address A. ASHMEAD, R. F. D. No. 2, San Bernardino, Cal. 3

WANTED—TO BUY FOR CASH, HIGHEST price paid for furniture, grocery or merchandise stores, etc. RHOADES & REED, 143 W. Fifth.

WANTED — FURNITURE; WILL PAY more cash than any one. GODDARD, 508 S. Broadway. Home 'Phone 1594. Sunset Main 2444.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE RATTAN GO-cart, must be in good condition and cheap. Address P, box 77, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — SECOND-HAND CLOTHING, shoes, etc. Highest prices. Home 7789. Sunset Red 3041.

WANTED—A 12 OR 16-GAUGE HAMMERless shotgun in good condition. Call at 223 E. FOURTH ST. 3

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER beds. 1103 E. 7TH. 'Phone Black 3151.

WANTED — SECOND-HAND FURNITURE; we pay honest cash prices. TEL. 1604.

WANTED — MOTORCYCLE ENGINE OR parts of. Inquire 1455 N. MAIN. 3

WANTED
Miscellaneous.

WANTED—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset PRESS ONE, Home EXCHANGE TWO.

WANTED—YOU TO SEE GOODWIN BROS. Wall paper, 10c papers cut to 7½c and 5c; gilt, 15c; embossed gilt, 12½c; fine tapestry effects, 25c. 622 S. SPRING ST. 'Phone Home 2747; Main 2852.

WANTED—LADY OR MAN AND WIFE TO rent four choice rooms with bath, unfurnished, and furnish breakfast for gentleman. Address R, Box 47, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — RESPONSIBLE CONTRACTOR to build business block and residence in exchange for fine lemon grove. Address box 87, CORONA.

WANTED— EXCAVATING AND GRADING by contract at reasonable rates. Address BOX 3, postoffice.

WANTED — MY OLD CUSTOMERS TO know I have moved to 915 and 917 S. Main. WILSON & CO., Tel. Sunset West 1219. 7

TO LET—
Rooms.

TO LET—WILL OPEN ON MONDAY THE hotel and rooms, southeast corner Ninth and Figueroa. One of the finest furnished quarters in town, with all the latest and most modern improvements. Finely furnished rooms and rents less than you are paying for your present rooms. Prices being from $2.50 up per week. Those wishing headquarters should not fail to call and inspect the same on Monday. S. E. Corner Ninth and Figueroa. 4

TO LET—THE GIBSON— SUNNY, SOUTH FRONT, FURNISHED APARTMENTS FOR LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING, STRICTLY MODERN; MUST BE SEEN TO BE APPRECIATED. 632 W. FOURTH ST. 1

TO LET—A BEAUTIFUL FRONT PARLOR and other elegantly furnished bright, cheery rooms, running water, porcelain bath, instantaneous heater, spacious verandas and lawn; every kindness extended to roomers; board if desired. 1022 S. HILL. 6

TO LET—AN ELEGANT SUNNY FRONT room or suite, fine new furniture, phones, baths, etc., and the price is very reasonable. THE WOOD, 106 N. Hope st.

TO LET — IN NICE PRIVATE HOME, 3 rooms, two front, four sunny windows; price $12 and $15; breakfast and dinner if desired; also little kitchen for housekeeping, use of bath and parlor; everything new. Tel. Home 5234. 250 S. BUNKER HILL. 1

TO LET—THE MAPLEWOOD, 913 MAPLE ave., new brick, handsomely furnished, well conducted; housekeeping suites from $4.50; single rooms, $2 per week; running water; electric lights; free baths; Christian men and women cordially invited. 'PHONE 3516. 3

TO LET— Rooms, very reasonable, at the Grand Pacific Hotel, 449½ S. Spring; running water, large front rooms for offices. Hotel Berwick, 449½ S. Spring. California House, 143½ S. Main; free baths.

TO LET — HANDSOME FRONT SUNNY suite of two rooms, with private bath attached; hot water all time; sunny rooms; public baths; rates reasonable. HOTEL JOHNSON, 122 E. Fourth st., 1 door east of Westminster Hotel. 2

TO LET—3 NEW AND COMPLETELY FURnished rooms in new house for light housekeeping, gas stove, bath; upstairs and distinct from other part of house; rent $18, gas included for lighting and cooking. 2975 SANTEE. 3

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS; DO you want something clean, homelike, airy, quiet? Use of two phones, bath, gas, linen, silver, etc., all furnished. Call while there is a choice. 1153 S. HOPE. 3

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TO LET—$18; ROOSEVELT APARTMENTS; 3 rooms each; housekeeping; completely furnished; elegant, new, gas range, telephone, hot water. 324 S. FIGUEROA; also 204 N. FREMONT.

TO LET — 2 FURNISHED ROOMS FOR housekeeping, with bath and toilet, on Downey ave., near railroad yard; rent $12 per month. J. L. BERRY, 304 Douglas Bldg. 'Phone 2367. 1

TO LET — 3 ROOMS, NICELY FURNISHED for housekeeping, with sink, large pantry, modern, adults, $18; also 2 furnished rooms, very clean for housekeeping, $15. 2314 MAPLE AVE. 1

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED SUNNY room in residence, Westlake district, close in, bath, telephone, gas and electricity. Three car lines; rent reasonable. 1409 W. EIGHTH ST. 1

TO LET — 4 NEWLY FURNISHED SUNNY rooms, south and east frontage, cheap to right parties; husband and wife preferred; no children; elevated location. 'PHONE 3408. 5

TO LET—2 COSY HOUSEKEEPING SUITES, bedroom and kitchen, clean and sunny, first floor and second floor, large yard, sunny porches, $12 and $13. 900 TEMPLE. 1

TO LET—NICE SUNNY FURNISHED SUITE on first floor for light housekeeping; one furnished room on second floor for light housekeeping. 739 S. FLOWER ST. 3

TO LET—THE CONWAY, 540 S. GRAND. Bright, cheerful, clean, sunny rooms; house and furniture new and modern; free baths; walking distance. Both phones. 3

TO LET — NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS, housekeeping privileges; respectable, clean; reasonable; two blocks from postoffice. Apply 213 E. EIGHTH. Boteller. 3

TO LET—FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHed rooms in all parts of city; come direct to City Room Directory, 215 W. FOURTH ST. No charge for information. 4

TO LET—ONE NEATLY FURNISHED ROOM with bath and use of parlor, in heart of city, congenial and quiet surroundings. No car fare. 512 W. FIRST. 1

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, SINGLE OR en suite with bath, hot water all the time, prices moderate. 324½ W. THIRD ST., between Hill and Broadway.

TO LET—NEW, ELEGANTLY FURNISHED 2, 3 and 4-room apartments, gas range, no objection to 1 or 2 nice children, close in. 913 MAPLE AVE. 2

TO LET—FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHed housekeeping rooms in 2 and 3-room apartments; new, modern, up to date. 430 S. FLOWER. 3

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED 2 AND 3-room suite, for light housekeeping, modern conveniences; no children. 420 S. OLIVE ST. 3

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING SUITE FURnished complete, bedroom, dining-room, kitchen, bath, gas, reasonable. 1343 S. OLIVE near Pico. 2

TO LET—NICE LARGE FRONT AND SIDE rooms, suitable for office, newly furnished and under new management. 316½ S. SPRING. 2

TO LET—2 NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, complete for housekeeping, strictly modern; reasonable; within walking distance. 532 W. NINTH. 3

TO LET — 3 FURNISHED CONNECTING rooms for light housekeeping, gas range, porcelain bath, upright folding bed. 1324 S. HOPE. 3

TO LET — NEWLY FURNISHED LARGE outside sunny rooms, single and en suite, $2 to $7 per week. 432 W. SEVENTH, corner Olive. 2

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TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED LARGE outside rooms, phone, bath; thorough cleanliness; reasonable rent. 722 S. HILL ST. 2

TO LET—A SNAP; THREE UNFURNISHED housekeeping rooms, $12 per month. 830 ALPINE, corner Figueroa. Phone Home 6485. 1

TO LET—A SUITE OF HOUSEKEEPING rooms with running water, large closet, every convenience, reasonable. 1022 S. HILL. 6

TO LET—LARGE SUNNY ROOMS FOR gentlemen, close in, $2 per week and up. 420 W. THIRD, corner Third and Clay. 21

TO LET — 2 LARGE SUNNY ROOMS FOR light housekeeping, furnished or unfurnished. 16TH and WRIGHT, over drug store. 2

TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, modern, $3 per week, or $12 month; close to business. 415 S. FLOWER. 1

TO LET—UNFURNISHED, FURNISHED rooms, $4, $8 month; housekeeping. THE LEWIS, corner San Julian an Pico. 5

TO LET—NEW, COMPLETELY FURNISHed housekeeping rooms, single or en suite; gas, electricity. 913 MAPLE AVE. 2

TO LET—CHEAPEST IN CITY; SINGLE rooms from $5 month; housekeeping suits. "ROCHESTER," 1012 Temple. 21

TO LET—$8 PER MONTH AND UPWARDS, housekeeping suites, with or without private bath. 2826 DOWNEY AVE. 2

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, CENTER of town, $1.50 per week and up; 25c and 50c per night. 211 W. THIRD ST. 5

TO LET — CHEAPEST IN CITY; SINGLE rooms from $5 month; housekeeping suits. "ROCHESTER," 1012 Temple. 2

TO LET—2 OR 3 CONNECTING OUTSIDE sunny rooms, suitable for doctor's office. 432 W. SEVENTH, cor. Olive. 2

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms, laundry privileges, all new and clean. 318 S. FLOWER. 3

TO LET—AT THE PRESCOTT, 625 TEMple st., nice clean sunny rooms; furnace heat; free baths daily. 1

TO LET—FURNISHED, TWO ROOMS FOR housekeeping, $15 month. MRS. NITTINGER, 451 S. Hope. 4

TO LET—THREE OR FOUR NICE ROOMS, unfurnished, for housekeeping. Inquire 738 W. SEVENTH ST. 1

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS housekeeping suite or single; nice location. 1045 S. HILL ST. 2

TO LET—LARGE, SUNNY WELL FURnished front and side rooms. 305 W. SEVENTH ST. 1

TO LET—FOUR FURNISHED OR UNFURnished rooms; very reasonable. 1966 E. FOURTH ST. 1

TO LET—NICE SUNNY HOUSEKEEPING rooms $2.50 per week and up. 412 TEMPLE ST., HESPERIA. 1

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED FRONT rooms, $1.50 and $2 weekly; gentlemen only. 1319 S. HILL. 2

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS for housekeeping. 819½ S. GRAND AVE. 31

TO LET—
Rooms.

TO LET — SUNNY FURNISHED FRONT room; also housekeeping rooms. 1045 S. BROADWAY. 1

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED 3-ROOM sunny suites for housekeeping, close in. 431 S. HOPE. 1

TO LET—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED rooms, housekeeping, new house. 334 CROCKER. 1

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TO LET—ELEGANTLY FURNISHED ROOMS reasonable at HOTEL CECIL, First and Olive sts.

TO LET—IN FLAT, 815—Y—W. NINTH, THE new SUNNYSIDE; nice room for one or two persons. 2

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TO LET—A NICELY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping room, private bath. 120 W. NINTH. 1

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS FOR HOUSEkeeping, and single rooms. 520 S. GRAND. 2

TO LET — NEWLY FURNISHED SUNNY front rooms; housekeeping. 512 E. NINTH. 1

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS AT THE S. & C., 526 Maple ave. Also double parlor. 1

TO LET—2 FURNISHED, $10; 3, $12; GAS range, walking distance. 811 W. NINTH. 1

TO LET — ONE OR TWO FURNISHED rooms in private family. 137 W. 21ST. 1

TO LET — SUNNY ROOMS, CLOSE IN; gentlemen preferred. 123 S. OLIVE ST. 2

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TO LET—FLAT, $20; A NEW FIVE-ROOM modern flat, ground floor, at 112 N. Hope st., walking distance; no children. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg.

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NEAR CENTRAL AND WASHINGTON. A new 6-room brick cottage, nearly completed. A more complete and up-to-date cottage cannot be found. Finely finished in pine, tinted walls, coved ceilings, combination fixtures, mantel and grate, china cabinet, pass pantry, hot water tank, piped for fuel gas, separate toilet and bath, ample closet room, porch front and rear. THE PLUMBING, WORKMANSHIP AND MATERIALS ARE OF THE VERY BEST. DRIVEWAY, CEMENT WALKS, SHADE AND LAWN. LOOK INTO THIS AS IT WILL GO QUICK. SOLE AGENTS. F. L. BOTSFORD & CO., MEMBERS REALTY BOARD. 404 TRUST BLDG. 3

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WE HAVE FOR SALE ON INGRAHAM ST., CLOSE TO UNION AVE., A 6-ROOM HOUSE, FURNISHED, THAT RENTS FOR $40 PER MONTH. THE LOT IS 60 FEET WIDE, AND FACES SOUTH; GOOD BARN, SHED, ETC. THE LOT IS WORTH $70 PER FRONT FOOT, AND THE LOCATION IS ONE OF THE CHOICEST IN THE CITY. THE FURNITURE IS GOOD, AND IS WORTH SEVERAL HUNDRED DOLLARS. WE CAN SELL THE PROPERTY COMPLETE, AS IT STANDS, FOR $4800. THE LOT ALONE IS NEARLY WORTH THE MONEY. ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (LTD.) MEMBERS L. A. REALTY BOARD, 301 CURRIER BLDG. 'PHONE MAIN 1377; HOME 1377. 31

FOR SALE—

NEAR WESTLAKE PARK.

Located within one block corner of Union and Orange; 9-room modern house, with reception hall, large parlor, cheerful dining-room, kitchen, servant's room and servant's bath downstairs; four large, airy bedrooms and first-class porcelain bath upstairs; oak floors; combination lighting fixtures; tinted walls; decorated ceilings; light woodwork; front and back stairs; cellar under the whole house; the lot is 60 feet front; has a solid stone wall and elevated about four feet above the walk; a bright, sunny spot, in a block of fine homes; the price, $5500, is made to effect a quick sale.

MEEKINS & DUBLIN CO., 101 N. BROADWAY. 1

FOR SALE—

A BIG SNAP. A CLOSE-IN COTTAGE, GRAND AVE. NEAR PICO.

If you want a bargain in a 6-room cottage very close in, we can supply you—Lot 39 feet frontage. This is a big bargain at

$3250

MINES & FARISH, 404 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE — THAT BEAUTIFUL, NEW, modern home of eight rooms, on high ground, midst beautiful surroundings, most desirable neighborhood; 1750 Lemon ave., close to Washington st.; parlor and dining-room frescoed; all floors polished; ceilings blended, tinted in colors, interior finish Flemish oak, two instantaneous heaters, four bedrooms, yard fenced; price only $5000; a bargain;

$2500—1471 Roosevelt; $2300, 12 rooms, 1818 Lenox ave.; $2200, 5 rooms, 1735 Normandie. If you are looking for a nice modern house, go and see this.

31 WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—COUNTRY HOMES, RANCHES, stock farms; the person contemplating settling in California will better his interests by investigating the San Joaquin county Delta and Uplands; ideal climatic conditions and unsurpassable transportation facilities; steamers convey products from the Delta country to San Francisco, a distance of 100 miles, for 60c a ton. Personally conducted excursions to our properties every Tuesday. For particulars apply T. D. FROST, manager representing Stockton Colonies Company, 315 W. Fourth st. Home 6934, Main 2087. 1

FOR SALE—$1750; FINE MODERN 5-ROOM cottage, large lot, street work done; this is a rare bargain; easy terms. Owner, JAS. H. STEELE, N.E. corner 40th and Central ave. 3

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—IN HIGHLAND PARK.

The Incomparable Residence District.

Delightful home on Pasadena ave. Finest corner in Highland Park, 102x154, besides barn and corral, 52x60 feet. Modern conveniences; two open fireplaces; two large lawns. Most beautiful date palm in Highland Park; other palms and flowers. Fruit trees in back. House built by day's work; 6 large rooms, cellar under all of house and immense attic. Price includes 258 feet street work. Bargain, $5500. Call 5582 PASADENA AVE., corner Avenue 56. 1

FOR SALE—

IN THE WESTLAKE DISTRICT,

CORNER 12TH AND ALVARADO.

Before buying, call and see my beautiful modern 9-room and 12-room houses; these are as good as can be built; the prices are so low they will interest you.

OPEN TODAY FROM 2 TO 5 P.M.

LEWIS C. CARLISLE, 'Phones Main 471, Home 471. Owner. 2

FOR SALE—

A BIG BARGAIN. $6500 RESIDENCE FOR $5300.

My beautiful 7-room, east front, highly modern home cannot be duplicated for less than $6500. For business reasons I will give you a big bargain for immediate sale. House is new, has extra large living-room. Beautiful lighting fixtures; good basement and furnace; located on high ground near Alvarado Terrace. No agents. Address O, box 38, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, I HAVE A MODern 8-room house, on W. Adams st., that I want to sell; the house is one year old this spring; has the Flemish and cedar finish, with hardwood floors throughout; the living-room is large, 18x24, also paneled, and there are beamed ceilings; also fine stone mantel, with open fireplace; also oak mantel in parlor and dining-room; furnace; lot 60x180 to 20-foot alley; price $4850. Owner, R, box 82, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—THIS IS NOT A BAD BUY—ON Jefferson st., a strictly modern 2-story, 7-room house, white pine finish, with porcelain bath and toilet upstairs; also toilet on first floor, lot 48x125, with wide alley, for $4500. $500 cash, balance easy terms, or will take small cottage in S.W. as first payment. You could not buy a lot in that vicinity and build for same money. SANBORN & BROWN, 512 Bradbury Bldg., agents. 1

FOR SALE—HOUSES—
$2300—6 rooms, 1710 Normandie.
$2750—6 rooms, 1671 Normandie.
$2500—6 rooms, 1628 Roosevelt.
$2500—6 rooms, 1730 Lenox st.
$2250—6 rooms, 1681 Roosevelt st.
Santa Monica car, 16th st., to Roosevelt st.
21 WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—A HOUSE BARGAIN—

—$4500—ONLY—$4500—

A nice, most new 9-room house, all modern improvements on lot 50x150, Vermont avenue, near West Adams street; terms to suit purchaser if taken at once. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—$5500; MODERN APARTMENT-house of 29 rooms, 2 stories, 2 bathrooms, porcelain bath, instantaneous heater, electric lights, gas for fuel; income $972 per year; must sell my equity as I need cash; this property nets 17 per cent.; will pay for itself in 6 years; owner on premises. 327 TOWNE AVE. 2

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD WITHIN SIX DAYS BY THE BULLETIN REAL ESTATE, COTTAGES, HOUSES, LOTS, ACREAGE, RANCHES AND BUSINESS PROPERTY. Owners' circumstances forbid our giving locations in the paper. 314 W. FOURTH ST., ROOM 123. 1

FOR SALE—$900— —SNAP— for a nice, comfortable, new 3-room house; large lot 50x136, southwest, street work all done; good neighborhood; one-half cash; must be sold today. W. H. OBEAR, 402 Johnson Bldg., Fourth and Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—COLONIAL COTTAGE WEST of Courthouse 7 blocks; 7 large rooms, closets, pantry, modern throughout; lot 50x140; $2800; 5-room cottage, fine lot, Bellevue near Bunker Hill, $2600. Snap. 4-room cottage, full lot, N. Grand; great bargain; $1600. JAMES THOMPSON, 300 W. First. 1

FOR SALE—HOUSES.
$2250—New modern cottage, 5 rooms, porcelain bath, walls tinted, lot 50x122 feet, southwest, on high ground, fine location, $20 monthly. Take 16th-st. Santa Monica car to 1710 Normandie st.
21 WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE — 12 PER CENT. INCOME houses.
$1850—At 538 Carolina st., rents $15.
$2000—At 151 Avenue 20, E. L. A., rents $20.
$3500—At 2855 Wall st.; rents $35.
Easy terms; commissions to agents. Address WILL WHEELER, 116 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—SOUTHWEST CORNER VERmont ave. and 31st st.; lot 45x140; nine rooms, large reception hall, oak floors, unique mantel and sideboard; front and back stairs; combination light fixtures; a good buy at $4850. M. O. TREMAIN, 3111 Vermont ave. Home 'Phone 7747.

FOR SALE—MAGNIFICENT 8-ROOM RESIdence; complete and splendidly furnished; only $4500; furniture alone cost over $1500; location only two blocks from Westlake Park; lot 50x150; east front. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st.

FOR SALE—$1600—5-ROOM MODERN COTtage, Santa Fe ave., near 2 car lines; graded street; good fenced lot, barn; good home or investment; more valuable every day; your own terms. J. J. PHELPS, Sole Agent, 216 Mason Operahouse. 1

FOR SALE—WHY PAY RENT, WHEN YOU can get a home for your rent money? We will build for you and furnish all money for building; plans free. J. BURRIS MITCHEL & CO., 324 Douglas Blk. 'Phone 2774, Black 2891. 3

FOR SALE — 7-ROOM MODERN HOUSE; lot 50x165; vines, trees and flowers; 2 car lines; 10 minutes from my office; if you have $1000 cash, I'll give you a deed to this beautiful home. C. W. STEWART, 438 Douglas Blk. 1

FOR SALE—BARGAIN, NEAT 7-ROOM 2-story house, barn, hen houses and yards; nicely improved, fruits, flowers in abundance; central location; 55x165, $3000; small payment; balance to suit. PHONE EAST 235. 1

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL LOCATION, NEXT to the $20,000 Stillson residence, Carroll ave., Angeleno Heights, good 9-room house, fine grounds, barn, etc. I will sell at $4500; worth $6000. B. W. KINNEY, 105 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—7-ROOM COTTAGE, 1626 W. 12TH st., between Union and Burlington; convenient to Westlake Park; lot 50x125; for sale at a bargain and on easy terms. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st. 2

FOR SALE — WESTLAKE PARK BUNGAlow, 7 rooms; ½ block of park and car line; large lot, with driveway; new house; all improvements; $4000. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st. 2

FOR SALE—$1400 FOR COTTAGE AND 50-foot lot; fine lawn, fruit, flowers, chicken corral. 1698 W. 20th. Street work paid; $400 cash, balance $12 per month. See GRAY, 426 E. 24TH. 3

FOR SALE — 6-ROOM COTTAGE, CROCKER st., near Fifth; reasonable price; values in this section increasing rapidly; no better investment. JOHN W. WATSON, 322 Trust Bldg. Phone 7790.

FOR SALE — $4250; PRETTY MODERN 8-room residence, 28th st., between Main st. and Moneta ave.; also desirable lots in vicinity. Apply at ZOBELEIN, S.W. corner Moneta and 40th st.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM COTTAGE, MODERN, corner lot, street improved, $250 down, balance $2000, to suit; also many others. PALMER & KALLMEYER, 222 Bryson Block. 1

FOR SALE—NEW 8-ROOM MODERN COTtage, choice location, gift at $1700; easy terms. See owner on premises, 1244 E. 24TH, 1¼ blocks east of Central ave. 2

FOR SALE—IF YOU WANT A BARGAIN IN a nice little 5-room cottage, bath and pantry, see 2818 GLASSELL ST. Must be sold; particulars Tel. Red 92. 1

FOR SALE — 10-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, fine neighborhood; 21st near Union, only $4500; worth $4800; must sell; don't delay. Call at 1 p.m., 329 POTOMAC BLK. 1

FOR SALE—NEW MODERN 4-ROOM COTtage, porcelain bath, toilet, stationary washstand; on Brooklyn ave., $1350. C. E. PENDELL, 40 Temple Block.

FOR SALE—2 NEW 5-ROOM HOUSES cheap; West 22nd and Leoti ave. Inquire evenings, 965 S. Main. CHAS. LONGE, Contractor.

FOR SALE—JUST LIKE RENT, LARGE new cottage, 802 W. 40th st., near University college. Owner, 417 HENNE BLDG. 1

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—NEW, MODern 6-room cottage, near Main st., for a good lot and cash. Owner, 131 E. 27TH. 31

FOR SALE—SEVEN-ROOM, ALL MODERN cottage; must sell; terms very reasonable. See OWNER, 360 S. Bonnie Brae st. 1

FOR SALE—REMOVED. M. M. DAVISON & SON, real estate and loans, removed to 304 Wilcox Bldg. Both 'Phones 589. 2

FOR SALE—BARGAIN; 5-ROOM MODERN cottage, east front, fine location. 1219 NEW HAMPSHIRE. 2

MODELS— And Modelmakers.

MODEL MAKING AND EXPERIMENTAL machinery. Goldman Mfg. Co., 1214 S. Main.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—

—GRIDER & HAMILTON'S—

—VERNON PARK—

Just among the big things doing. Ascot Park, Huntington's great car shops and car barns. Hundreds of the employees must reside. The building of the Ascot avenue car line through Vernon Park on Ascot avenue. Greatest selling tract in the city; half sold before street improvements were in. We now have miles of cement curbs and 5-foot cement walks laid and streets graded—all made free. We have 420 lots, rich loam soil, all kinds of choice trees and berries in bearing. Visit our tract and compare it with all others. You will buy. Located on Vernon avenue, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, Rubio, 49th, 50th and 51st streets and Ascot avenue. You can buy choice residence lots from $290 to $650 on terms to suit. Agents at all times to show the tract, including Sunday, at our

—BRANCH OFFICE—

—47TH AND CENTRAL AVE.—

Take the Vernon cars at Second and Spring streets, down Central avenue. Every lot will double in value inside of a year. Half a hundred houses going up. Don't delay; go out today. Call and get illustrated map at

—GRIDER & HAMILTON'S—

—225 W. SECOND STREET—

FOR SALE—

FINE LOT FOR $1100.
We have a bargain—
A 50-foot lot—
on Harvard boulevard,
Near Washington—
High and sightly—
Price way down,
only $1100.
Be quick.

MINES & FARISH, 404 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE—M. L. WICKS HAS 500 LOTS for sale on easy terms at from one hundred dollars to eight hundred dollars, in Angeleno Heights, Alvarado Park, Lakeside tract and Edendale tract; lots generally 50x150 feet; the northwest portion has the healthiest, best climate of the city; quick access to the business portion and prices far more reasonable than other desirable parts of the city; easy terms. M. L. WICKS, 128 Hellman Blk., Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—CHOICE PIECE FOR SUBDIVISION containing about 68 lots on new car line. Will take some money to develop and improve, but is a sure winner at handsome profit.

C. A. SUMNER & CO., 214 Trust Bldg. 2

FOR SALE — FOR SUBDIVISION, 7-ACRE ranch with house and barn; just outside city limits on electric car line; can have terms; will cut up very advantageously and sell readily.

C. A. SUMNER & CO., 214 Trust Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—LOTS—

50 feet front on Figueroa between Pico and Washington, only $85 front foot.

A northwest corner, 150x165, near Hollywood electric line, in a locality rapidly building up, $1600.

Two lots on graded street, southwest, within a block of Adams st., $425 each. Others ask more for lots in same locality.

SHERWOOD & KOYER, 140 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—
Good lots in good locations.
$450—50x125, 43d, west of avenue.
$425—50x140, W. 24th, near Congress.
$575—40x138, Little Rock, near Central.
$1150—50x150, E. 28th, on the boulevard.
$1100—50x125, Harvard boulevard.
$850—50x125, W. 24th, fine location.
$1450—50x125, Fremont ave., close in.
B. W. KINNEY, 105 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—THE VERY BEST PROPERTY for a home or for investment in the city today, is in the Elysian Park tract; no fog or frost, or other unpleasant thing found there; only 10 minutes' ride from Spring and Third st.; take Daly-st. car, get off at Solano ave., and look it over. M'GARVIN & BRONSON CO., owners, 220½ S. Spring st. 2

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FOR SALE—CHEAP LOT— —ONLY $2800— A fine corner, 100x100 on Hoover, near West Adams. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—FINE LOT IN FORD TRACT, 40x125 ft.; sidewalk, curbing and street work done; nice residence district; fourth lot east of Maple ave., on north side 35th st.; price $850; $450 down, balance $10 per month. Inquire 614 E. FIFTH ST. 3

FOR SALE—AND A GOOD BUY; A CHOICE corner, 55x150 ft., to alley, on beautiful Figueroa st., near 16th, for only $10,000. A. T. JERGINS & CO., Sole Agents, 204 Laughlin Bldg. Home Phone 2511. After July 1, 208 Hellman Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—
$850—Lot 50x140, W. 25th, near Congress and Adams sts.
$425—Lot 50x140, W. 24th, near Congress and Adams sts.
B. W. KINNEY, 105 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—$10,250; FACTORY SITE, NORTH of Ninth st.; 450 feet from Santa Fe tracks; 360 feet frontage, bounded by 20-foot alley on west and south; 9 cottages on 240 feet; income $95 a month. T. M. KILLIAN, 218 Bryson Blk. 14

FOR SALE—$1000; SNAP; 50-FOOT LOT (worth $1250,) high, sightly, street work all done, near elegant large residence on Roosevelt street, 200 feet south of 18th. Take Santa Monica car. WEISENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—CHEAP; SEVERAL FINE LEVel lots in Charles Victor Hall tract, also lots at Hermosa Beach, and Ocean Park, by OWNER, E. F. FLORCKEN, 128 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—LOT ON W. 36TH ST., 1 BLOCK from Jefferson, 50x133, south front, only $550; $200 cash and monthly payments. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st. 2

FOR SALE — $1450; 50x125 ON FREMONT ave., fine location for 4 to 6 houses; close in and sightly; if you see it you will buy it. B. W. KINNEY, 105 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—BARGAIN IF SOLD AT ONCE by owner; 3 lots, 1 corner lot, with 4-room house, 1 block of Pico car line. Address R, box 23, TIMES OFFICE. 1

FOR SALE—$1800—A FINE, HIGH LOT IN West Adams Heights tract, 60x130, at a bargain if taken at once. Address owner, R, box 80, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—IN BEAUTIFUL BROOKLYN Heights; six fine 50-foot lots, $300 and $350 each; cash or monthly payments. See owner, 902 N. SOTO ST. 6

FOR SALE—$1250; ONE OF THE BEST LOTS in Highland Park; on Pasadena ave., close to Occidental College. Owner, 217 N. SPRING ST. 1

FOR SALE—CLOSE IN LOTS WITH trees, liberal terms, assistance in building. NILES, Owner, Washington and Maple ave.

FOR SALE—LOTS, $250 AND UP, ON GRADed street, in beautiful Boyle Heights. E. A. MILLER, 206½ S. Broadway. 3

FOR SALE—$700; GOOD LOT, BURLINGTON, near Temple. 228 BRADBURY BLDG. G. H. Clark. 2

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—INCOME INVESTMENT—

—$3000—

For this sum we can sell you 3 first-class cottages, with all modern conveniences, close to Ninth st. and Central ave.; the lot is 80x120 feet, well worth $1800, the cottages could not be duplicated for $1500 each; they will rent continuously for $50 a month; consider this a moment; lots worth $1800, improvements worth $4500, the whole offered for sale for $3000, and we can make you easy terms.

THE ROBERT MITCHELL CO., 508 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—

OLIVE ST. NEAR FIFTH. PRICE $325 PER FOOT. FIGUEROA NEAR SEVENTH. PRICE $290 PER FOOT.

THESE ARE THE TWO BEST INVESTMENTS IN THE CITY AND ADJOINING LOTS ARE HELD $100 PER FOOT HIGHER. DO NOT WAIT. THESE WILL SELL AT ONCE.

HERBERT PEERY, 204 LAUGHLIN BLDG. 1

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FOR SALE—ELEGANT HOTEL SITE; THE BEST VACANT CORNER ON W. SIXTH ST., 120 FEET OF EAST FRONTAGE; COULD BUILD ALL SUNNY OUTSIDE ROOMS; GREATEST BARGAIN ON THAT RAPIDLY IMPROVING STREET; ONLY $30,000. HERBERT PEERY, 204 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE—LOS ANGELES STORES AND flats; income 14 per cent. DR. DRAPER, Pasadena 2

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—TEMPERANCE TEMPLE, N.W. corner Broadway and Temple st. 4-story brick building; I want a hustler to buy this beautiful corner; money can be made by modernizing and equipping this property into storerooms and offices. M. W. ATWOOD, Sole Agent, 612 Grant Bldg. Home 'Phone 1714.

FOR SALE—$17,000; WE HAVE A PIECE OF income property close to Second and Hill; large lot; 30 rooms; it will sell for $25,000 in a year from now; have good tenant who will take a 2 years' lease at $150 month; this is a bargain; let us show you. GEORGE & LONGE, 602 Braly Bldg. 1

FOR SALE — NEW, MODERN 31-ROOM building, close in; leased for 5 years at $245 a month; only $32,000; pays 12 per cent.; also 42 ft. lot on Spring st., north of Eighth st., for less than $700 a foot; act quick, if you want these bargains. F. A. HUTCHINSON, 428 Byrne Bldg. 2

FOR SALE — BUSINESS PROPERTY ON First st., San Pedro, E. Fourth, Winston, W. Seventh, Fremont, Hope, W. Ninth, and Maple ave. Let me quote prices. I have some pieces belonging to absent owners; some especial bargains. B. W. KINNEY, 105 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—BEST REAL ESTATE BARgain in this city for $20,000; fine corner, new improvements, rental $4500 per year; principals only. Home phone 1714. M. W. ATWOOD, 612 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—INCOME $80 MONTH, NEAR Fifth, new, modern; terms; a snap; $5000. Another, $71 month, close in, new, modern, one-third cash, $5600. Another, $55 month, only $4800; terms. LEE & SMITH, 308 S. Broadway. 22

FOR SALE—$2800; 25 FEET FRONT ON SAN Pedro st., 100 feet south of Second; a good little snap; good place for store and rooming-house. B. W. KINNEY, 105 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—BEST CORNER AT MOST EXclusive beach; $600; terms. Owner, BOX 174, Station C. 3

FOR SALE— Flats.

FOR SALE—

$4250—Two new modern flats, 5 rooms each, walking distance, corner 12th and Birch, $2500 cash, balance easy terms. Address G. DOMBROWSKI, 329 W. Vernon Ave. Tel. West 3009. 2

FOR SALE—FURNISHED FLATS IN NINE-room house in good condition, close in. Call at 510 S. HILL ST., price $750. 3

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF A 5-ROOM flat with lease, on S. Figueroa, $450. E. T. EAST, 503 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—$6000; 2 FLATS, 12 ROOMS ON Gladys near Fifth; income $720. E. G. ROBINSON, 301 Grant.

FOR SALE— Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—

—EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.'S—

INVESTMENT DEPARTMENT.

$2800 WILL BUY THE BEST PLACE IN LOS ANGELES IN WHICH TO MAKE MONEY FROM SUBLETTING FURNISHED ROOMS AND OFFICES. THIS BUILDING IS ALMOST ENTIRELY OCCUPIED BY DOCTORS AND NURSES AND PRODUCES A NET MONTHLY RENTAL OF OVER $200. IF YOU WANT A MONEY MAKER LOOK THIS UP.

$2800 WILL PURCHASE A 34-ROOM HOUSE, WELL LOCATED AND A MONEY MAKER, WITH NEW FURNITURE AND A FIVE-YEAR LEASE AND MODERATE RENT.

$2600 WILL PURCHASE A CLOSE-IN ESTABLISHMENT OF 27 ROOMS UNDER A 2-YEAR LEASE. THIS IS A VERY FINE CHANCE TO GET A GOOD BUSINESS.

$1700 WILL BUY THE BEST MONEY MAKER IN A HOUSE EQUIPPED FOR SUBLETTING AS HOUSEKEEPING SUITES IN THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES. THE PRESENT OWNER IS MAKING ABOUT $90 A MONTH CLEAR IN THIS ESTABLISHMENT.

$2500 WILL BUY THE BEST 32-ROOM ESTABLISHMENT WITHIN EASY WALKING DISTANCE OF THE CENTER OF TOWN THAT CAN BE HAD ANYWHERE NEAR THE FIGURE. THIS HOUSE IS PAYING BETTER THAN $100 PER MONTH PROFIT NOW. DON'T FAIL TO LOOK THIS UP.

EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., ESTABLISHED 1885. MEMBERS L. A. REALTY BOARD, 216-218 W. SECOND ST. 1

FOR SALE—MODERN ROOMING-HOUSES. 29-room new rooming-house, all outside rooms, newly furnished, Brussels carpets, running water in every room; 3 years' lease.

—ALSO—

22-room house, new, modern, no dark rooms, running water, newly furnished, velvet carpets in front suites, balance Brussels carpets; 3 years' lease.

W. A. VARCOE & CO., 217 W. Second st. 31

FOR SALE—LEASE AND SOME EQUIPment of a 50-room well furnished hotel, in near-by town; has 14 regular boarders and is doing a profitable trade; lease 2 years; rent $75 cash; price $500. ASSOCIATED HOTEL BROKERS, 422-23 Grant Bldg. 'Phone 3856. 1

FOR SALE—$1200; LEASE AND FURNITURE best-paying hotel business in Long Beach; ideal location; large dining-room, etc.; now full of guests; rent $60 month. DINSMOOR & STONE, 113 E. Ocean ave., Long Beach. 1

FOR SALE — ROOMING-HOUSE, $2500; 24 rooms, new, clean, first-class, an ocean front corner, rent $100; 4 years' lease; a snap, for a few days. See this at once. C. W. SCOTT & CO., 25 Ocean Front, Ocean Park, Cal. 21

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, 30-ROOM lodging-house lease, $100 rent; brick building; price $4000; terms; will exchange for smaller lodging-house. Call 321 E. SECOND ST. 2

FOR SALE—7-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE (cottage) completely furnished; close in; southwest; big snap; price $225, $100 cash. F. A. BURKHART & CO., 340½ S. Spring.

FOR SALE—LEASE OF NEW BUILDING, extra nice, all modern improvements; 46 rooms, fine location, west of Main st. MRS. C. S. HEALD, 330 Bradbury Bldg. 21

FOR SALE—LODGING-HOUSE OF 11 ROOMS nicely furnished, with every convenience; lease, cheap if taken right away. Make offer. 434 E. THIRD ST. 2

FOR SALE—OWNER 16-ROOM ROOMING-house, close in, modern; no reasonable offer refused; must sell. Particulars. 2261 W. 12TH ST. 2

FOR SALE—14 ROOMS, NEW FURNITURE, fine location; lease; $300 spot cash; two days only. Address R, Box 54, TIMES OFFICE. 1

FOR SALE—FURNITURE 7 ROOMS, CLOSE in; rent reasonable; $225; a snap. 701 W. SIXTH ST. 3

FOR SALE — $1100 CASH, 23 FURNISHED rooms; fine extra location; central. 515½ S. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN.

We have for sale at Burbank, 9 miles from Los Angeles, 10 acres of fine alfalfa land, located within 300 feet of a plant pumping a minimum of 75 inches of water; the soil is A1, and water can be had at an exceedingly low figure; ground lies perfectly level; owner of adjoining property netted over $100 per acre on his alfalfa last season; watermelons will bring in at least $75 per acre this summer; alfalfa can be planted next fall and the property will pay for itself in less than 12 months; we can deliver this property for $165 per acre.

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SANTA FE PACIFIC HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION.
By A. G. WELLS, Its Chairman.
Attest:
G. HOLTERHOFF, JR., Secretary.
The S. C. HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION,
By A. G. WELLS, Its Chairman.
Attest:
G. HOLTERHOFF, JR., Secretary.

Notice of Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A special meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Los Angeles will take place on Thursday, the 14th day of April, 1904, at the hour of 10 a.m. in the forenoon of that day, at its office and principal place of business, to wit, No. 202-204 South Spring street, city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, State of California, for the object and purpose of then and there considering and voting upon a proposition of increasing the capital stock of the bank from $400,000, divided into 4000 shares of $100 each, to $500,000, divided into 5000 shares of $100 each; also to amend the articles of association in reference to the number of the board of directors. By order of the board of directors.
W. T. S. HAMMOND,
Cashier.

OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, DENver, Colo., March 4, 1904.—Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received here until 11 a.m., April 4, 1904, for transportation of Military Supplies, Routes Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and for drayage at Denver, Colo., during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1904. U. S. reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. Information furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked: "Proposals for Transportation on Route No. —," addressed J. W. POPE, Chief Q. M.

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JEFF'S SHAPE MUCH BETTER.

Will Not Have to Indulge in Much Training.

Has Not Smoked a Cigar Since January First.

Six Athletic Records Broken. Horses and Baseball.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jim Jeffries, who starts for Harbin Springs, Cal., next week to prepare for his coming championship battle with Jack Munroe, will not have to indulge in much training to get in condition, as he already is in better shape than he has been for many days. His present good condition is the result of three weeks' of light training, which he has been going through while on the road.

Since he has been away from New York the big champion has taken runs on the road, skipping the rope twice each day for at least 500 times at a clip. He worked in the gymnasium and retired early.

Jeffries is at present showing in a local theater, and it is surprising to see how fast he is in his bout with Joe Kennedy, his sparring partner.

As a consequence of the course of training, he has lost twelve pounds. That Jeffries means to get in shape is clearly shown by the fact that he has not smoked a cigar or cigarette since the first of the year. If he smokes a cigarette it will cost him a hundred, as he has a bet of that amount with Joe Maxwell that he will not smoke one before the fight.

EXCITEMENT AT ALBANY.

WAINWRIGHT BILL CHANGED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—Considerable stir has been caused by the discovery at Albany that a change had been made in the enacting clause of the Wainwright bill, framed with a view to compelling patrons of gambling houses to testify against the keepers.

The bill was an exact copy of District Attorney Jerome's measure, introduced in the Senate by Dowling, and was to take effect immediately. The Assembly Codes Committee, to facilitate matters, took up the Wainwright bill, and while discussing it, found the date of enactment had been changed by an unknown penman to read "effective September 11, 1904." The chairman declared that nothing would avail the plotter, as the committee will consider the Dowling copy, instead of Assemblyman Wainwright's.

LONG-DISTANCE RUNS.

COMPLETION OF ITINERARIES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—Itineraries for the long-distance automobile runs from the East to the St. Louis Exposition have been completed by Chairman Post of the American Automobile Association Committee. From New York there will be a choice of four routes coming together in Ohio. Inspectors are to be sent over all four, and if it be found advisable to make detours, they will be arranged by the committee.

Prominent foreign automobilists have been invited to join the tourists.

FITZ AND JOHN L.

TALKED OVER OLD DAYS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Bob Fitzsimmons called on John L. Sullivan today. Neither spoke for what seemed to be a full minute. Then John L. raised his eyes, protected from daylight by blue goggles, and said: "Hello, Bob."

"Hello, John, how are you feeling?" replied Fitz., and they shook hands cordially.

For more than an hour they talked over the old days of the prize ring. Fitz volunteered his services at the benefit which is being planned for John L.

SIX RECORDS BROKEN.

'FRISCO ANNUAL FIELD DAY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERKELEY, March 31.—Six records were broken in the fifth semi-annual field day of the San Francisco Athletic League, held this afternoon. The league records smashed were the mile run, the 220-yard dash, the pole vault, the broad jump, the high jump and hammer throw.

The schools represented in the meet, and the order in which they won points were: California School of Mechanical Arts, 66; Lowell High School, 55½; Wilmerding School of Mechanical Arts, 12½; Polytechnic High School, 5; Mission High School, 3; Cogswell School, 1.

INTERNATIONAL BILLIARDS.

REROLLE OVERCOMES FOSS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rerolle won the international billiard match tonight by a score of 1200 to 1153 points in 99 innings, overcoming Foss's lead, last night of 155 points, by persistent good play. Although Foss tonight made a low average, he did not seem to be himself at all, and his poor play, compared with that of last night, was a great surprise to his friends. Intense excitement reigned when Rerolle passed Foss in the ninety-first inning.

Foss's utter reversal of form is hard to explain. Tonight's score was: Foss, 353; Rerolle, 555. Foss averaged 8 9-43, while Rerolle averaged 12 39-43. Rerolle promised Foss that he will go to New York next winter to play a return match.

AUTOMOBILE SPEED TRIAL.

NEW WORLD'S RECORDS MADE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NICE, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In the automobile speed trial here today, M. Rigoldi, driving a 100-horse-power Gobronbrille car, which was built for the international cup race, covered a mile, standing start, in 53 3-5 sec.

In the kilometer race for the Rothschild cup, with flying start, he covered the distance in 25¾ sec. Both are world's records. After the races Princess Lubov.nsbras's car ran over and killed a girl.

Hugo Kelly Defeats McKeever.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 31.—Hugo Kelly defeated Charlie McKeever tonight in a ten-round bout.

World's Bowling Average.

CHICAGO, March 31.—Louis Deproft of the Business Men's League tonight broke the world's bowling average for three games with the 16½-pound ball by rolling 250 1-3. The former record was 243 2-3.

Ascot Horses Going East.

ST. LOUIS, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Capt. Carmody has received notice from Los Angeles that 170 horses now racing at Ascot will be sent to race at Union track here.

Bennings Races.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Five and a half furlongs: Ascension won, Shrine second, Toy San third; time 1:04 2-5.

Half a mile: Lilybrook won, Incense second, Lady Frances third; time 0:51 2-5.

Four and a half furlongs: Melrose won, Preen second, Olerosa third; time 0:54¾.

Six and a half furlongs: Andrew Mack won, Go Between second, Mr. Pickwick third; time 1:26.

Seven furlongs: Peter Paul won, Himself second, Master Man third; time 1:32 3-5.

Steeplechase, about two miles: Boney Boy won, Agio second, Chivington third; time 4:28.

ROOKS AND PAWNS.

MORE PILLSBURY PLAY.

Chess Champion Pillsbury again toyed with the local experts yesterday afternoon and evening and abundantly satisfied them of the very evident fact that he is about the hardest proposition in the chess line that ever landed in these parts from El Paso or any other town.

In the twelve "blindfolded" simultaneous games commenced Wednesday night he lost to T. J. Harrison and C. W. Waterman, drew with R. B. Griffith and defeated the other nine men. Yesterday afternoon in five consultation matches he won one, drew one and lost three, but there is a strong suspicion around the Chess Club rooms that he did not try to win every game. Last night he laid out every man that played with him, and several of these were consultations. As a variation to the chess he played checkers with a number simultaneous with the chess games and took a large collection of scalps at checkers. No one here feels disappointed at losing to Pillsbury, however, for the clubs in Chicago and Philadelphia don't beat him. He follows out the book injunction about strong attacks, and, as the golfers say, is always "up," for he generally sews up the ordinary player behind his own pawns and ends things in short order.

He will probably remain here until Monday and will then leave for San Francisco.

BASKET-BALL BATTLE.

INDIAN GIRLS-HIGH SCHOOL.

What promises to be the most closely-contested basket-ball game played this season will be played tomorrow afternoon on the courts of the Los Angeles High School, between the Indian maiden from the Sherman Institute and the pale-face lassies from the local High School.

The Indian belles, in common with their dusky brothers, have the reputation of playing a clean game, and winning entirely on merit. Twice victorious over the strong aggregation from the Ontario High School, they are undefeated and striving faithfully for the southern championship. Like the High School girls their play is fast, remarkably free from fouling, and most of the score is rolled up by field and goal throwing. This will be the Indian girls' first appearance here.

Well known on the basket-ball courts are the High School girls, who have suffered defeat only once this season. Having played together for the past three years, their team work approaches perfection. They have made record-breaking scores against Occidental and the University of Southern California. Florence Frankland, forward, and Cleme Griffin, center, are easily first among Southland basketballists. Ethel Enyeart and Ethel Ling, who were unable to play last Saturday, will occupy their places, guard and forward, and this will greatly strengthen the High School team. The girls have practiced every day this week, realizing that the game tomorrow will call for the greatest effort of the season.

LAWRENCE TO TRAVEL EAST.

Pat Dunne Buys Promising Boy's Contract.

Golden Rule Again Fails to Deliver the Goods.

Books Make a Clean-up Upon Day's Operations.

Pat Dunne's sagacity was demonstrated yesterday when he bought John Kane's contract with Del Lawrence and added the boy to his racing staff. Dunne is a good horseman and a capable judge of jockeys; he certainly made no mistake when he picked up this promising slip of a lad from Spokane, who in his first year on the turf has made good to the complete satisfaction of race-goers. Yesterday in his first day's riding under Dunne's espionage, little Lawrence made the best record scored at Ascot Park since Hildebrand went away, bringing in three winners and one place bet in four tries. John Kane who brought out this constantly improving youth, also developed Prior, now riding at the track, and received handsome remuneration for his trouble, Dunne paying a neat, but by no means unreasonable sum, for Lawrence's contract, which has a term of two years and seven months to run before the boy reaches his majority.

Golden Rule again disappointed his backers yesterday. In the presence of one of the season's largest crowds, Barrington at the false price of 8 to 1, made a gay deceiver out of this chestnut son of Golden Garter in a nose finish which reflected only credit upon the beaten horse, who had picked up 122 pounds, and carried it over three-quarters of a mile in 1:14¾. Golden Rule, as ever, was well played; Barrington was practically overlooked and went back in the betting, but when the race was run he proved fully as good a colt as has been heretofore suggested in these columns. Off third, he was kept back by Lawrence until the stretch; at the paddock Dunne's latest acquisition made his move and inch by inch he crept up on the game Golden Rule. While the two were battling for the nose verdict, Columbia Girl, practically left, came from behind in a fine flash of speed and annexed the show; a blanket would have covered the finish. No finer spectacle could have been asked by race-goers, but it cashed few tickets.

Yesterday was a day of good things, some of which came through and more of which did not. The ring had a field day; it was a gambling crowd and the money flowed like water. Favorites or well-backed second choices captured a majority of the events, but on few days has the play been so diversified since the meeting started. In nearly every race the majority of starters were well backed and the ring kept most of the proceeds.

The public will eventually get tired of playing Bessie Welfly and Laura F. M. They have disappointed with regularity, and yesterday both ran last in their respective places. A bunch of barkers that couldn't beat a turtle came out for the first and half a dozen of the mutts were played. Bessie Welfly got away poorly and pulled up; Liberto was off flying in front and led all the way, winning at 9 to 2.

John Kane's Phyz proved the best of nine four-year-olds in the second event at a mile, winning ridding out under light play. Bassanio caught a number of pikers' dollars, and might have bettered the show under a good ride on the far turn, but had to be content with third place.

The Covenanter at 11 to 5 was head and shoulders above the nine three-year-olds that tried to keep him company in the third event at five and a half furlongs, going by the rest in the final dash like a flea on a fast freight. Laura F. M., almost an equal favorite, finished absolutely last though off well; Lee Jackson rode, and failed to do much for her.

Labor was a good thing that came home in the fifth. Many ot off on Straggler across the board and took theirs back when he stayed for the place, after trying to see Labor's raise in the stretch. The Montana gelding came through on the rail and received the verdict in a heart-breaking finish.

Wager was well backed in the closing number, and he had all the speed he needed, but not more. Wager, Estado and Magic Flue, heads apart, divided the money as named. The last, a frail little thing, justified a theory of Judge Hamilton's; she appears to stand about one good race a month, then needs a long rest.

Today's Card.

Quite a card is offered race-track habitues today. The entries weights and index numbers follow:

First race, one mile, selling; three-year-olds and upward:

6236	Mabel Claire	95
6524	Kylo II	97
6513	Capitol	97
6524	Liberto	100
6500	Emir	105
6516	Cursus	107
6525	Sherry	107
6500	Uppercut	107
6525	Insolence	108
6512	Eminence II	108
6500	Little Secret	108
6526	The Covenanter	110
6500	Flamero	110
6476	Major Hooker	110
6248	Dr. Bernays	110

Second race, four furlongs, selling; two-year-olds:

6333	*Brown Study	95
(6333)	*Azelina	101
6489	Hilona	101
6489	St. Dixie	103
6489	De. Grammont	109
6465	Peggy Mine	109
(6483)	*Jerome	110

Third race, five and a half furlongs, selling; three-year-olds:

6456	Rose Farr	90
6392	Natal	92
6513	Potrero Grande	95
6513	Eva D.	96
6526	Moonstone	98
(6501)	Mistletide	103
6492	Winnifreda	108

Fourth race, six furlongs, selling; four-year-olds and upward:

6373	Celebration	100
6491	Blue Miracle	100
....	Ray	101
6478	Redan	103
(6491)	Jim Hale	108

Fifth race, one and an eighth miles, selling; four-year-olds and upward:

6493	No Friend	95
(6500)	Chemist	99
6516	Dug Martin	99
6469	Admetus	99
(6516)	Discus	102
6481	Merwan	102
6493	Inaugurator	102
6503	Erne	102
6517	Louwelsea	104

Sixth race, six and a half furlongs, selling; four-year-olds and upward:

6529	Wager	102
6502	Blueridge	102
6481	Red Damsel	103
(6502)	Geisha Girl	105
6503	Glenrice	105
6505	Evander	105
6492	Rosebud	108
6504	Katherine Ennis	108
6324	Henry Clay Rye	108
(6492)	Cardwellton	110
6453	Brown Prince	110
(6429)	Landseer	110
6516	Jim Gore II	110

*Apprentice allowance.

Montgomery Park Results.

MEMPHIS (Tenn.) March 31.—Seven and a half furlongs: Elliott won, Somnos second, Bard of Avon third; time 1:36¾.

Four and a half furlongs: Oceaner won, Finchot second, Marsh Redon third; time 0:58.

Five furlongs: Monastic won, Floral King second, Maj. Pelham third; time 1:02¼.

Montgomery handicap, consolation, one mile: De Reszke won, Haviland second, Lura Lighter third; time 1:42¼.

Steeplechase, mile and a quarter: Itacaticara won, Farmer's Foe second, Cardigan third; time 2:56½.

Mile and seventy yards: Circus Girl won, Midshipman second, South Breeze third; time 1:48½.

"THE TIMES" FORM CHART.

THE OFFICIAL CHART OF THE LOS ANGELES JOCKEY CLUB.

ASCOT PARK, Thursday, March 31, 1904. Eighty-fifth day. Weather fine. Track fast. A. W. Hamilton, presiding judge. J. Holtman, starter.

6524 FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Maidens. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6500—Liberto, 2 (S. A. Stable)	112	3	.....	1 h	1 ½	1 ½	1 1	W. Dugan	4	9-2
6458—Kylo II, 3 (A. D. Harrison)	109	4	.....	7 1	5 1	5 1	2 h	Lawrence	5	12
6500—Capable, 4 (P. Moore)	114	6	.....	6 1	3 1	6 1	3 1½	Prior	4	5
6454—Lady Rice, 6 (Ellis & Co.)	112	7	.....	3 1	4 1	4 1	4 3	T. O'Brien	8	10
6236—Caroburn, 3 (B. Schreiber)	107	8	.....	2 1	2 1	2 1	5 1	Feicht	2	8
6490—Lisp, 4 (E. Polk)	109	1	.....	5 1	7 1	7 1	6 1½	J. Lewis	10	8
6512—Riceful, 3 (E. Cary)	95	5	.....	4 1	3 1	3 1	7 2	M. Johnson	20	15
6464—Maud M., 4 (G. Pacheco)	109	12	.....	10 1½	9 1	8 1	8 1	Herbert	20	20
6477—Constantino, 4 (A. Long)	102	10	.....	9 1	10 1	10 2	9 2	F. Johnson	20	60
6468—L. Phillips, 2 (Fitzpatrick)	109	5	.....	8 1	8 1	9 ½	10 1	Fletcher	12	15
6428—Egg Nogg, 4 (S. G. Morton)	114	3	.....	12 2	12 2	12 1	11 2	E. Morper	15	15
6483—Oklahoma Belle, 4 (Knapp)	109	14	.....	14	13 1	11 2	12 3	Wilkins	20	30
6212—Honduras, a (C. Holcomb)	112	13	.....	11 1	11 1	13 2	13 5	Sinnott	20	60
6236—Bessie Welfly, 4 (Fields)	112	11	.....	13 1	14	14	*	L. Jackson	2	3

*Pulled up.
At post 2 min. Off at 2:04. Time—0:23, 0:48¾, 1:14¾.
Liberto place 5-2, show 1; Kylo place 5, show 5-2; Capable show 1.
Winner b. c. by Vinctor-St. Cecilia. Trained by W. J. Spiers.
Scratched—Ed Lanigan.
Start fair. Won handily. Second and third driving hard.
Liberto off flying; went to the front at once, winning handily at the end. Kylo swung wide in stretch, finishing strong. Capable in a pocket all the way; closed fast. Riceful ran a fair race. Caroburn quit. Bessie away badly.

6525 SECOND RACE—One mile. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6493—Phyz, 4 (J. Kane)	103	2	2 ½	2 ½	1 1	1 2	1 1	Lawrence	7-2	3
6480—All About, 5 (Sanders)	106	4	2 1	2 1	2 1	1 ½	2 1½	L. Jackson	6	10
6476—Bassanio, 4 (F. A. Herold)	99	6	5 ½	7 1½	5 1	3 1	3 1	Feicht	3	3
(6446)—Homage, 6 (Stephenson)	110	3	1 h	1 h	3 h	4 1	4 ¾	Prior	6	8
6500—Insolence, 5 (Johnson Co.)	108	5	7 ½	4 1	4 2	5 1	5 2	M. Johnson	20	30
6476—Sherry, 4 (J. Woods)	107	1	4 h	6 ½	6 1	7 1	6 1	J. Lewis	4	10
6416—The Ladsean, 5 (B. & H.)	111	7	8	9	9	8 1	7 3	W. Dugan	10	10
6245—Albert Enright, 6 (Engleking)	103	7	4 1	8 1	8 1	6 1	8 1½	Fletcher	5	7
6473—Cannell, 4 (R. S. Bender)	99	8	6 2	5 h	7 h	9	9	E. Murphy	30	15

At post ½ min. Off at 2:30½. Time—0:26, 0:50, 1:16, 1:42.
Phyz place 1, show 1-2; About place 4, show 2; Bassanio show 2-5.
Winner br. m. by Magnet-Physalis. Trained by J. Kane.
Scratched—Legal Maxim, MacAna, Inaugurator, Flamero, Plan, Chemist.
Start good. Won ridden out. Second and third driving.
Phyz best; always well up; went to the front at the paddock, winning ridden out. About looked like a winner at the stretch turn, but hung to the finish. Bassanio poorly ridden; saved ground on last turn, closing well.

6526 THIRD RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6503—The Covenanter, 4 (Glasscock)	105	6	.....	5 n	4 1	4 1	1 2½	Feicht	2	11-5
6502—Gen. Cronje, a (Hughes)	110	8	.....	4 1	6 2	6 2	2 1	Prior	4	6
6480—Moonstone, 3 (Hedges Co.)	94	7	.....	2 h	1 ½	1 1	3 ¾	M. Johnson	6	5
6502—Jack Richelieu, Jr., 4 (Quick)	105	3	.....	8 h	3 ½	5 2	4 1½	Sinnott	6	20
6477—Ragnarok II, 4 (Stephenson)	105	4	.....	1 h	2 ½	2 1	5 ½	J. Lewis	6	12
6477—Zem Zem, a (C. Hill)	103	5	.....	7 ½	7 1	7 1	6 1	W. Dugan	8	20
6260—Gray Morn, 4 (A. Miller)	109	9	.....	9	5 1	3 1	7 2	Fletcher	20	100
6516—Evermore, 3 (T. Crysler)	92	1	.....	6 ½	9	8 1	8 1	J. Booker	10	12
6458—Laura F. M., 4 (J. D. Millin)	99	2	.....	3 2	8 1	9	9	L. Jackson	3	5-2

At post 1½ min. Off at 3:02. Time—0:27½, 0:50¼, 1:09¾.
Covenanter place 4-5, show 2-5; Cronje place 2, show 7-5; Moonstone, 4-5.
Winner b. g. by Magain-Silverdene. Trained by C. A. Holcomb.
Scratched—Vandolo, Matronia.
Start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.
Covenanter ran by his field as if they were tied last furlong, winning easily. Cronje had a lot of bad luck all through the race; closed fast in the stretch. Moonstone tired badly last eighth. Richelieu ran a good race.

6527 FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Handicap. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $400.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
(6467)—Barrington, 3 (Meck & Co.)	107	2	.....	3 1	2 1	4 1	1 h	Lawrence	3	7
6490—Golden Rule, a (Durnell)	122	5	.....	1 2	1 2	1 2	2 ½	Prior	5-2	11-5
6473—Columbia Girl, 3 (Johnson)	96	6	.....	6 ½	6 1	5 2	3 1	M. Johnson	5-2	7-2
6511—M. F. Tarpey, a (L. A. Stable)	106	3	.....	2 ½	2 h	2 ½	4 2	W. Dugan	10	12
(6313)—Caliant, 4 (C. D. Hutzler)	102	4	.....	4 h	4 h	3 n	5 3	J. Lewis	8	9-2
6278—Glennevis, 4 (W. Durker)	110	7	.....	7 1	7 1	7 1	6 1	L. Jackson	5	8
6253—Carnival, 3 (Johnson & Co.)	97	1	.....	5 1½	5 1½	6 1	7 1	Feicht	*	*
6419—Mexzo, 4 (P. Dunne)	90	8	.....	7 2	8	8	8	Anderson	5	10

*Coupled with Columbia Girl.
At post 1½ min. Off at 3:37. Time—0:24½, 0:48, 1:14¾.
Barrington place 2, show 4-5; Rule place 1, show 2-5; Girl show 1-2.
Winner br. c. by Masetto-Sonsy Lass. Trained by B. Mock.
Scratched—Durbar.
Start good for all but Girl. Won in a hard drive of three.
Barrington swung wide in the stretch; came fast, outgaming Rule in the final stride. Rule had his speed, but hung last sixteenth. Girl practically left; closed a world of ground, finishing fast on the outside; was best. Tarpey swerved badly under punishment; tired last furlong. Caliant had no excuses. Glennevis slow to begin; closed stoutly.

6528 FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6491—Labor, 4 (D. Rogers)	109	4	2 1	3 1	2 h	2 n	1 h	Sinnott	8-5	5-2
6491—Straggler, a (Boesecke)	107	2	1 1	1 2	1 1	1 1	2 2	J. Booker	7-5	2
6481—Buccleuth, 5 (B. Schreiber)	109	3	3 2	2 1	3 2	3 2	3 2	Anderson	5-2	9-2
6350—Diamante, 4 (W. J. Spiers)	104	1	5	5	5	5	4 1	W. Dugan	8	12
6491—Durbar, 3 (J. Curl)	90	2	4 1	4 2	4 3	4 1	5	W. Kelly	6	4

At post ½ min. Off at 4:01½. Time—0:25, 0:50¼, 1:16, 1:42, 1:48.
Labor place 7-10, show out; Straggler place 4-5, out; Buccleuth out.
Winner ch. g. by Montana-The Task. Trained by W. Christian.
Start good. Won first three driving.
Labor best; swerved badly in the stretch, but came through on the rail; won driving hard. Straggler hung at the finish. Buccleuth pinched off at the start; was on the outside all the way; boy made up ground too soon; tired badly last furlong. Durbar ran on her own courage; Kelly no help. Diamante closed well.

6529 SIXTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6504—Wager, 4 (J. Guthrie)	105	7	.....	4 h	5 1	5 1	1 h	Lawrence	5-2	5-2
(6477)—Estado, 5 (C. V. Tupper)	110	11	.....	9 1	6 ½	1 1	2 1	W. Dugan	6	4
6489—Magic Flute, 3 (Sharkey)	92	2	.....	1 1	1 1	1 1½	3 h	Feicht	5	5
6480—Lady Usk, 3 (W. Hedges)	92	3	.....	2 ½	3 1	3 ¾	4 h	R. Murphy	5	15
6454—Walter, 6 (C. E. Durnell)	110	5	.....	6 1	7 1	6 1	5 1	Prior	6	4
6480—MacFlecknoe, a (O. G. Stable)	110	6	.....	3 1	2 n	2 ¾	6 2	Henderson	10	15
6274—Hindoo Princess, a (Stocevitch)	109	1	.....	5 1	8 1	8 1	7 2	J. Lewis	6	6
(6483)—Maude Browne, 3 (Davis)	92	10	.....	11	10 1	10 2	8 2	Anderson	10	20
6493—Chief Aloha, 4 (J. Finch)	109	9	.....	10 1	11	11	9 2	M. Johnson	10	30
6466—Susie Christian, 3 (Bradley)	92	8	.....	7 1	4 1	4 ½	10 2	J. Booker	6	7
6480—Profitable, 4 (A. Winters)	109	4	.....	8 h	9 1	9 1	11	Fletcher	30	100

At post 5 min. Off at 4:37. Time—0:24½, 0:49¾, 1:09.
Wager place 1, show 1-2; Estado place 3-5, show 4-5; Flute show 2.
Winner b. g. by Wagner-Favena. Trained by W. M. Gray.
Scratched—Nona B.
Start good. Won first three driving hard to the limit.
Wager came on the outside in the stretch, avoiding interferences; finished fast under a drive. Estado away badly; ran a grand race. Flute was stopping last part. Usk badly jostled in the stretch. Walter closed with a rush. MacFlecknoe quit. Princess had a very rough journey; was jostled out of it right after the start.

SEYMOUR IS A PROFESSIONAL.

P.A.A.A. REFUSES TO GIVE HIM REGISTRATION.

President Hinchman Talks of Southern California Athletics and Predicts Better Things for This Section in the Future—The Commissioners Now in Charge Here.

Joseph F. Seymour, Jr., has been officially declared a professional. This statement may appear in the light of a joke to those who have followed Seymour's rather spotted athletic career during the last year, but will hardly appeal to the young man himself, in that light. Seymour appealed to the Pacific Amateur Athletic Association for registration as an amateur, and President W. B. Hinchman, who was in conference with the local athletes last Saturday night, having looked into Seymour's record, lost no time in reporting him a professional.

The grounds given for this action are alleged violation of article 10 of the A.A.U. agreement, thereby conflicting with the first principles of an amateur athletic association—otherwise plain professionalism.

President Hinchman on his return to San Francisco stated:

"I found athletics very bad in the South—in a very bad way, indeed. There is no organization, and anyone who wishes to pose as an amateur can pass as such. After going over the field thoroughly I appointed three commissioners—T. J. Keating, instructor of the Turn Verein; C. S. Tappan, a Harvard graduate; and A. Lawton, a strong amateur athletic union man. They will have charge of the Southern California section, and I feel confident it will be but a matter of short time when there will be a pure amateur state of affairs in the South.

"While there I took evidence in the case of Athlete Seymour, which has caused so much discussion. Seymour is one of the best trackmen of Los Angeles, and at the present time is connected with athletics at St. Vincent's College. But at the time he is said to have professionalized himself he was managing the football team of the University of Southern California. The evidence was to the effect that while he was managing that eleven he engaged players by offering a money consideration for their playing. In his defense it said this act was authorized by the chairman of the faculty committee."

The St. Vincent's College athletes will doubtless take an exception to President Hinchman's classing Seymour with their institution. The effect of this ruling will be to bar Seymour from participation in any amateur games whatsoever.

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THE men are carefully selecting their Easter hats. Siegel's $3 Derbies are favorites. Hotel Nadeau Building, 341 South Spring.

HOTEL GREEN, Pasadena, will remain open until May 1.

Los Angeles and Hotel Del Monte.

Through chair car between Santa Barbara and Hotel Del Monte, daily, without change on train leaving Los Angeles at 8 a.m., and Santa Barbara at 11:40 a.m., via Southern Pacific.

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Althouse Bros. sell fine cottages.

THE State Board of Pharmacy will meet at the Medical College in Los Angeles on Monday, April 4, 1904, at 10 a.m. Examinations will begin on Tuesday, April 5, and continue during the week. Persons having business other than examination, will please appear on Monday.

GOOSE EGGS FOR PORTLAND.

Visitors Lay in One More Easter Setting.

Fat Boy Wheeler Hands Out the Real Article.

Steelman Quits After Three Bad Blunders.

Los Angeles 4, Portland 0.

If the Portlands intend to make any runs this week, it is about time they should get into the notion of thinking that they can.

It was the old, old story yesterday again of not being able to see third base in nine innings. As a matter of fact, the only way any of them could get on second base with any degree of assurance was to knock the ball a mile away from some of the local fielders, and then all their strong-arm work didn't buy them anything. Wheeler was the conductor yesterday, and when it came to helping them over the road, he was so mean and stingy that they might just as well have stayed at home as to try and go any place. He had the high sign out for everyone, and his efforts were backed up by team work behind him that was practically perfect.

It might be said in extenuation of the visitors that they were badly shot to pieces almost from the start. Shortstop Castro hurt his leg and had to retire early in the performance; Francis, who took his place, let a ball go through him, and Moose Baxter, who took Francis's place at third, played a bad game, doubtless due to lack of practice. He not only juggled a grounder, but let a high fly in front of the pitcher's box get away from him. Catcher Steelman, who started on the receiving end, lasted only two innings, for he tried to throw away almost every ball he got his hands on. In the second inning he made no less than three bad errors, which were largely responsible for the three runs made by the Looloos. After these he went away back and sat down in the shade.

CHASE IS THERE.

Aside from the consistent pitching of Wheeler and the fine fielding of the locals generally, the feature of the game was the playing of Morley's boy wonder, first baseman Little Willie Chase. As the days go by the fans become more firmly convinced of the fact that Chase has dozens of old professionals beaten on everything except uniforms. Of course he doesn't shine very brightly in the clothes that Morley has given him, but you forget all about these things when you see him play. Yesterday he went to bat four times and out of these chances he made two timely singles, a two-bagger and a sacrifice, stole a base and had seven putouts without an error. This kind of business is good for a large part of the honors in any game, and it wouldn't take the longest leased wire in the world to tell anyone about it, either. If this fair-faced boy keeps on the way he is going now, the end of the season will see him leading every player in the league in hitting, base-running, fielding and everything they think they are good at.

Thielman pitched yesterday for the visitors, and did very good, but things went so bad in the second inning that he just couldn't win. That second was enough to fix any pitcher. Ross came up first and popped out to Beck at second. Then Little Willie shot a hot one at Freeman that barked his shins and bounded off. Little Willie stole second and on the run-down Steelman tried to see how far he could throw the ball away from the base, and Willie ran on to third. Then Toman knocked a bouncer to Thielman and in a second he had Willie running back and forth between third and home. On the final throw from Francis to Steelman the latter muffed the ball and Little Willie scored. Toman ran to second on this, and Spies advanced him to third with a hit to right. Spies started for second and Steelman made the same kind of a wild throw as he did on Chase, Toman scoring on this and Spies going to third base and easily scoring when Bernard hit to right.

The final run came in the sixth, and was started by one of the most startling two-baggers ever seen here. Cravath had gone out on an infield grounder and then Ross knocked a very high fly that came down between the pitcher's box and the plate. Castro had hurt his leg in the fourth and quit the game. Francis moved over from third base to short field to fill that place and Moose Baxter, the utility man, was put on third base. Now when Ross sent up this high one, Thielman, Shea and Moose started for it but Moose yelled out that he had it. He didn't, though, for the English on it drew it in toward the plate and when Moose thought he was under it he wasn't, for it went through the ends of his fingers and rolled far enough away for Ross to get to second base, making the shortest double seen here for months. With Ross ahead of him little Willie clouted a bad one to deep left for three bases and thus ended the run-getting of the game.

The score:

LOS ANGELES.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Bernard, cf	3	0	1	0	1	0	0
Flood, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	2	0
Smith, 3b	3	0	0	0	3	1	0
Cravath, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ross, lf	4	1	2	0	3	0	0
Chase, 1b	3	1	3	1	7	0	0
Toman, ss	4	1	0	0	4	5	1
Spies, c	3	1	1	1	8	0	0
Wheeler, p	3	0	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	30	4	7	2	27	12	1

PORTLAND.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Drennan, cf	3	0	2	0	1	0	0
McCreedie, rf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Nadeau, lf	4	0	2	0	1	0	0
Baxter, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	1	1
Castro, ss	2	0	0	0	1	1	0
Beck, 2b	4	0	0	0	3	2	0
Freeman, 1b	4	0	1	0	9	0	0
Francis, 3b and ss	3	0	1	0	1	2	1
Steelman, c	1	0	0	0	1	4	3
Shea, c	2	0	0	0	5	1	0
Thielman, p	3	0	0	0	1	4	0
Totals	32	0	6	0	24	12	5

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Los Angeles	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	x	—4
Base hits	0	3	0	1	0	2	0	1	x	—7
Portland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Base hits	1	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	—6

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Nadeau, Drennan, Ross, Chase.
Sacrifice hits—Bernard, Flood, Chase.
First base on errors—Los Angeles, 2; Portland, 1.
Left on bases—Los Angeles, 6; Portland, 4.
Bases on balls—Off Wheeler, 1; off Thielman, 1.
Struck out—By Wheeler, 6; Thielman, 4.
Double plays—Smith to Toman, Flood to Toman to Chase.
Passed balls—Shea.
Hit by pitched ball—Smith.
Time of game—1h. 40m.
Umpire—O'Connell.

Today's Game.

THIRD LADIES' DAY.

This will be another ladies' day, which is the third of the week, and Manager Morley wishes the fair ones to know that they will be admitted free to the grounds and grandstand as of yore. All they will have to do is to come. Dolly Gray will probably pitch for Los Angeles and Shields for Portland.

MAGNIFICENT THROWING.

OAKLAND WINS WITH EASE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Magnificent throwing from the outfield, and the effective pitching of Schmidt resulted in the whitewashing of the local team today. Whalen pitched a good game, but his support was poorer than the number of errors indicates. Score:

SAN FRANCISCO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Waldron, cf	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Hildebrand, lf	3	0	2	0	0	0	0
Meany, rf	4	0	2	0	2	0	0
Irwin, 3b	2	0	1	0	0	2	0
Leahy, c	4	0	0	0	4	1	0
Massey, 1b	4	0	2	0	11	2	0
Anderson, 2b	4	0	0	0	2	3	1
Schmeer, ss	3	0	0	0	3	4	1
Whalen, p	3	0	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	32	0	7	0	27	13	3

OAKLAND.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Ganley, rf	5	0	0	0	4	2	0
Francks, ss	4	0	0	0	1	3	1
Kruger, lf	4	1	2	0	1	1	0
Dunleavy, cf	4	1	2	1	1	0	0
Schafly, 2b	3	1	0	0	1	4	0
Streib, 1b	3	0	1	0	9	0	0
Devereaux, 3b	3	1	1	1	0	1	0
Lohman, c	3	1	1	0	5	0	0
Schmidt, p	4	1	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	33	6	9	2	27	11	1

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
San Francisco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Base hits	[illegible]									—7
Oakland	[illegible]									—6
Base hits	[illegible]									—9

SUMMARY.

Three-base hit—Dunleavy.
Sacrifice hits—Francks, Streib, Devereaux.
First base on errors—San Francisco, 2; Oakland, 1.
First base on called balls—Off Whalen, 7; off Schmidt, 2.
Left on bases—San Francisco, 7; Oakland, 8.
Struck out—By Whalen, 4; by Schmidt, 3.
Double plays—Ganley to Lohman; Schafly to Streib; Schafly to Francks to Streib.
Time of game—1h. 30m.
Umpire—McCarthy.

LOOSE BUT EXCITING.

SAMPLE EASY FOR SEATTLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

FRESNO, March 31.—Seattle won today in a loosely-played game, but an exciting one on account of the closeness of the score. Sample was easy for Seattle, being batted out of the box in the fifth inning, after Seattle had piled up five runs. Fitzgerald, who succeeded Sample, was hit frequently, but they were scattered, and no runs were made while he was in the box. In the fifth inning, Hughes became a little wild, and Tacoma ran three men over the plate. Another run in the eighth inning made Tacoma four while Seattle had five to her credit. Score:

SEATTLE.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Van Haltren, cf	4	1	2	0	1	0	0
Mohler, 2b	3	1	1	0	3	2	1
Delehanty, 3b	3	0	1	0	2	1	0
Frisk, lf	5	1	1	0	3	0	0
Brashear, 1b	5	2	2	0	5	0	1
Smith, rf	3	0	0	0	2	1	0
Hall, P., ss	4	0	0	0	2	4	0
Wilson, c	4	0	1	0	7	2	0
Hughes, p	4	1	3	0	0	1	0
Totals	35	5	12	0	27	11	2

TACOMA.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Casey, 2b	3	1	0	0	1	4	0
Nordyke, 1b	5	1	2	0	10	0	0
McLaughlin, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0	1
Lynch, cf	5	0	1	0	0	0	0
Eagan, ss	3	1	1	2	3	2	0
Hannivan, rf	5	0	1	0	3	0	0
Sheehan, 3b	4	1	2	1	2	1	0
Graham, c	3	0	0	0	2	2	0
Sample, p	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Fitzgerald, p	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	4	8	3	27	12	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Seattle	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	—5
Base hits	2	1	0	1	4	1	1	2	0	—12
Tacoma	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	—4
Base hits	0	1	0	0	2	1	1	2	1	—8

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Frisk, Sheehan and Nordyke.
Sacrifice hits—Smith, 2.
Hits made—Off Hughes, 8; off Sample, 8; off Fitzgerald, 4.
First base on errors—Seattle, 1; Tacoma, 1.
First base on called balls—Off Hughes, 4; off Sample, 2; off Fitzgerald, 2.
Left on bases—Seattle, 10; Tacoma, 11.
Struck out—By Hughes, 3; by Fitzgerald, 2.
Hit by pitcher—Mohler.
Double play—Casey to Kagan to Nordyke.
Time of game—2h. 7m.
Umpire—Huston.

Pacific Coast League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Los Angeles	7	6	1	.857
Tacoma	6	4	2	.667
Oakland	6	3	3	.500
Seattle	6	3	3	.500
San Francisco	6	2	4	.333
Portland	7	1	6	.143

Salt Lake to Have Race Track.

SALT LAKE, March 31.—Local racing men have secured an option on sixty acres of ground near this city and are making preparations to establish a first-class track. A racing association will be formed, capitalized at $100,000. It is expected to place the track on the California circuit. Automobile races and polo tournaments will be arranged, and a horse show will be an annual feature.

THROWING SQUIB FATAL.

Six Persons Killed in Explosion in Pennsylvania Factory — Five Fatally Injured.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SCRANTON (Pa.) March 31.—Six persons were killed and five fatally injured by an explosion in the factory of the Dickson Squib Company at Priceburg, near here, today. The dead are:

LIZZIE BRAY, Priceburg.
BECKIE LEWIS, North Scranton.
LIZZIE MATTHEWS, Oliphant.
GEORGE CALLIHAN, Priceburg.
TERESA CALLIHAN, Priceburg.
LILLIAN MAHON, Priceburg.

Twenty girls were employed in the factory. What caused the explosion is not known, but it is said that one of the girls threw a squib into a stove, and the force of the explosion was so great that it wrecked the building and set fire to it.

The squibs are used in coal mining.

Moyer Gets Habeas Corpus.

GRAND JUNCTION (Colo.) March 31.—District Judge Theron Stevens has issued a writ of habeas corpus for Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, who is being held as a prisoner by the military at Telluride. The writ is directed to Adjt.-Gen. Sherman M. Bell and Capt. Bulkley Wells.

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FAVORITES CAPTURE OAKLAND EVENTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Favorites or well-played horses were successful in most of the races at Oakland today. Fine weather favored the sport, but the track was still somewhat heavy. Heredia was responsible for a long delay before the start in the two-year-old race. She threw Buxton at the post, and ran away over two miles, going back and forth until she finally was caught and remounted. Head Dance, favorite for the race, proved an easy winner over Cardinal Sarto and Veina. Summary:

Six and a half furlongs, selling: Petrolia, 99 (Bonner,) 6 to 1, won; Carilee, 101 (Knapp,) 9 to 2, second; Myrtle H., 103 (Crosswaite,) 13 to 2, third; time 1:26. Bright Moon, H. P. Cane, Impromptu, Wolfhurst, The Toiler, Castello and Jim Roberts finished as named.

Four furlongs, purse: Head Dance, 111 (See,) 4 to 5, won; Cardinal Sarto, 113 (I. Powell,) 6 to 1, second; Veina, 110 (J. T. Sheehan,) 6 to 1, third; time 0:51. Disproportianableness, Woodlands, Emily Calahan, Lampenia and Heredia finished as named.

Six and a half furlongs, selling: Shell Mount, 109 (Holbrook,) 12 to 5, won; Marello, 109 (J. T. Sheehan,) 9 to 2, second; Aunt Polly, 107 (Otis,) 7 to 2, third; time 1:25¼. Polonius, Toto Gratiot, Educate, Modder, Assessment, Theodora L. and Batidor finished as named.

One mile, selling: Northwest, 89 (Knapp,) 11 to 2, won; Anirad, 87 (Crosswaite,) 5 to 2, second; Idogo, 109 (Bonner,) 8 to 1, third; time 1:46. Ada N., Pat Morrissey and Inspector Munro finished as named.

Six furlongs, selling: Hoceo, 107 (Mountain,) 13 to 5, won; Lady Athelling, 107 (J. T. Sheehan,) 17 to 5, second; Dungannon, 108 (Holbrook,) 11 to 2, third; time 1:18. Foxy Grandpa, Frivolous, Resigned, Homeric, Tannhauser and County Down finished as named.

One mile and a sixteenth, selling: Byronerdale, 105 (Knapp,) 7 to 2, won; The Fretter, 108 (Mountain,) 9 to 5, second; Galanthus, 103 (Buxton,) 21 to 5, third; time 1:53. Expedient, Searcher, Rim Rock, Mr. Farnum and Moor finished as named.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

University Club.

The University Club will have a banquet at Levy's tomorrow night.

Will Speak on Sir Edwin.

Rev. W. T. Ferguson, pastor of the Boyle Heights Methodist Church, will speak in the chapel of the University of Southern California this morning on "The Late Sir Edwin Arnold," treating particularly of his "The Light of Asia."

Electrical Engineers.

Twenty-five members of the Los Angeles Electrical Engineers' Association held their monthly banquet at Levy's Café last evening, and enjoyed a series of lantern slides depicting the latest inventions in electrical appliances.

Clerk a Bankrupt.

Following the filing of a petition in bankruptcy, Sol Davis, a clerk of this city, was yesterday declared a bankrupt in the United States District Court. He stated his liabilities at $13,296, and assets at $150, of which $100 was claimed exempted.

White Memorial.

A meeting of the Executive Committee in charge of the Stephen M. White memorial fund will be held at the office of Secretary Joseph Scott tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to arrange further details regarding the monument, which will be erected on the Courthouse grounds.

"King Richard III."

Tonight at the Mason Operahouse the Hanford company will present for the first time during this engagement "King Richard III," a leading role in which the star is said to excel. This will be the bill tomorrow night, but at tomorrow's matinée "The Taming of the Shrew" will be presented.

Noted Quaker.

President Tebbe of the Friends College at Whittier, will preach in the Friends' Church, Third and Fremont streets, this city, Sunday morning. His theme will be "The Power of the Resurrected Christ." He is counted one of the ablest men in the Friends Church, and is an entertaining speaker.

"Flower King's" Exhibit.

Paul de Longpré's exhibit of flower paintings at his beautiful Hollywood home closed yesterday. During the time his pictures were on display the artist had over nine thousand callers and made many sales, including the first painting since his residence here to a Los Angeles patron. It was the most successful exhibit Mr. de Longpré has had in five years.

Car Strikes Auto.

A rapidly-driven automobile was running north on San Pedro street yesterday afternoon just in the rear of an electric car. Evidently the chauffeur did not see an Ascot Park car going west on Ninth street till a collision was inevitable. The car struck the godevil in the rear and caused the tires to burst with a loud report. Other damage was done to the auto but no one was hurt.

Ministerial Association.

The Southern California Ministerial Association of the Christian Church will meet in Covina on Monday, April 11. Trains will leave Los Angeles in the morning and evening, over the Southern Pacific Railway. The dedication of the new Christian Church of Covina will take place on Sunday, April 10, services being held morning, afternoon and evening. Rev. Frank M. Dowling of Pasadena will preach at the morning and evening service. The afternoon meeting will be of a social nature, participated in by a number of local pastors.

Railroad Wins.

The jury in the case of Charlotie Goldschmidt against the Santa Fé Pacific Railroad Company, wherein plaintiff sought to recover large damages from the railroad on account of the death of Henry F. Goldschmidt, a Santa Fé fireman, in the Franconia (Ariz.) wreck two years ago, yesterday rendered a verdict in favor of the company. A similar case, that of Cora B. Vernon against the Southern Pacific Company for the death of her husband in the Owl wreck at Byron, was begun yesterday before Judge Wellborn. The afternoon was consumed in examining jurors.

Anti-Saloon League Workers.

The State Anti-Saloon League, which has its headquarters in this city, has had its corps of workers in the field reinforced by three well-known young men, A. Rae Condit, who made a reputation as the whistler of the Pomona College Glee Club, and who purposes consecrating this peculiar gift to the Anti-Saloon work; Rev. W. G. Fisher, who comes from Portland, Or., singer and speaker, and Rev. A. K. Stabler, from Norwood, a suburb of Cincinnati, who will reside in Santa Barbara and have charge of the work of the league in San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Ventura counties.

Destructive Projectile.

A feature of the fire at George M. Lewis's confectionery store on West Second street, as reported in yesterday morning's Times, was the freak flight of a seventy-five-pound gas tank. This, rising by the force of its explosion to a probable height of several hundred feet, soared over an adjoining store, across Hill street, and came down like a mighty shell upon the roof of a tall lodging-house there. It crashed directly through, cutting a heavy beam in twain as though with an ax, and tore through the plastering into a young woman's bedroom. Besides being much frightened and scratched in sundry places by the falling mortar, the occupant of the room was uninjured.

Another Building Gain.

Last month Building Superintendent Krause issued 573 permits, for improvements aggregating $361,029, as against 569 permits for improvements aggregating $911,817, in March 1903; 341 permits for improvements, amounting to $591,337, in March, 1902; and 236 permits, for $286,152 of improvements for 1901. In March, 1900, and in the same month in the preceding year the number of permits issued, and the aggregates of improvements authorized, were about one-half the corresponding figures for 1901. The improvements authorized last month included: one five-story brick building, to cost $25,000; one four-story brick, $12,392; three three-story brick buildings, $83,436; five two-story brick buildings, $54,500; five single-story brick buildings, $16,325; four three-story frame buildings, $52,000; 56 two-story frame buildings, $188,450; twenty-one story-and-a-half frame buildings, $29,435; 265 single story frame buildings, $268,837 and twenty-three frame flats, $101,790.

BREVITIES.

Thomas B. Clark, the auctioneer, is sacrificing the finest stock of Japanese porcelains, bronzes, brass lamp shades and screens ever offered in the city. The sale will continue for the next ten days at 211 So. Broadway.

The Cecelian Ladies' Trio, composed of violin, 'cello and piano, furnishes the finest music for concerts, musicales, weddings and receptions. 551 S. Hope, 'phone 1985.

The cantata, "Easter Eve and Morn," by Frederick Stevenson, will be given by a double quartette at the First Congregational Church Sunday morning.

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CORONADO BEACH.

OPENING OF TENT CITY.

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, March 31.—It is announced that Tent City will open for the season June 1, and that the closing date will be September 18. The band will not show up for business before June 12, however.

H. F. Norcross, Los Angeles representative of Hotel Del Coronado and Tent City, is here, accompanied by his wife, also by Rev. George Norcross, a brother from Carlisle, Pa., and Mrs. Norcross, who are to remain for some time.

Henry Berkeley Budd, son of Regent John E. Budd of the State University, and nephew of ex-Gov. James H. Budd, arrived here yesterday, and is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. John H. Haste, at the Nevius cottage.

A dinner was given last evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dupee to the following: Lieut. H. B. Farrar, Fort Douglas; Mrs. Ben Farrar, Mrs. W. B. Potter, Colman Farrar, J. Kenneth Burnes of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyson gave a moonlight launch party on the bay last evening.

JOHN D. CRIMMINS TALKS.

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John D. Crimmins returned today from Europe. He announced tonight that, before the year is out, the Pope will make Archbishop Farley cardinal. Speaking of politics, he said: "I am for Parker, and I am sure he is the best man we could secure. I believe he will be nominated and elected. The Hearst boom is only a joke."

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Frank Thayer, aged 25, native of Iowa, and Bertha E. McCord, aged 18, native of Nebraska; both residents of Norwalk.

Salvator T. Divocco, aged 22, native of Italy, resident of San Pedro, and Elma C. Berendsen, aged 21, native of Colorado, resident of Long Beach.

Thomas L. Hoag, aged 23, native of Iowa, and Helen E. Kent, aged 22, native of New Hampshire; both residents of Compton.

Burdette Chandler, aged 67, native of New York, and Mary Eliza Newton, aged 41, native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Charles P. Robinson, aged 24, native of Missouri, resident of Los Angeles, and Ollie Boydson, aged 18, native of Kansas, resident of Alhambra.

Charles S. Smith, aged 25, native of Kentucky, resident of Los Angeles, and Rachael Graw, aged 24, native of Illinois, resident of Oceanside.

John Blalsure, aged 53, native of Colorado, and Anna Eva Patterson, aged 22, native of Colorado; both residents of Los Angeles.

George H. Armbruster, aged 24, native of New York, and Mae Hurt, aged 21, native of Missouri; both residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

SCHIFFLER.—In this city, March 30, 1904, C. August Schiffler, aged 69 years. Funeral from chapel of Orr & Hines Company, No. 647 South Broadway, today, Friday, at 2 p. m.

FITZGERALD.—At the residence, No. 1121 West Ninth street, March 31, 1904, Sarah E., beloved wife of Dr. O. D. Fitzgerald, aged 61 years. The funeral services will be held at the residence, Saturday, afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Kansas City papers please copy.

COBB.—In Los Angeles, March 30, 1904, James M. Cobb, aged 63 years. Funeral services at Brosee Brothers' parlors, Friday, at 9 a. m. Interment, Orange, Cal.

LEWIS.—At No. 2130 Pasadena avenue, March 31, 1904, Angeline M. Lewis, a native of New York, aged 71 years. Funeral from John H. Paul's Parlors, No. 2031 Downey avenue, Saturday, April 2, at 10 a. m. Friends invited to attend. Interment Evergreen Cemetery, Waukegan, Ill., and Minneapolis, Minn., papers please copy.

CHRISTIE.—In this city March 31, 1904, Lousha Christie, graduate nurse California Hospital. Funeral April 1 today, 1:30 p. m. at the chapel of Pierce Brothers & Company, Eighth and Flower streets.

FINLEY.—Lizzie Pirtle Finley, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Pirtle, and wife of Rev. J. F. Finley. Funeral will take place Saturday morning April 2, 10 o'clock, at the residence of Dr. Pirtle, No. 1401 Santee street. Interment Evergreen.

ARMOUR.—At his late residence, No. 1619 Maple avenue, Andrew N. Armour, aged 56 years 2 months. Funeral notice later.

Masonic Funeral.

Pentalpha Lodge, No. 292, F. & A. Masons, will meet on Sunday, April 3, 1904, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., to attend the funeral of Bro. Matthew Teed.

By order of the W. M.
W. W. ROBINSON, Secretary.

Fraternal Brotherhood Funeral Notice.

The funeral services of Bro. Martin Cobb of Los Angeles Lodge No. 1, will be held at Funeral Parlors of Brosee Brothers, Sixth and Broadway, 9 a. m., April 1. Interment at Orange, Cal. By order of FRED T. HUGHES, chairman Funeral Committee.

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We are not offering old stock or old styles, but all the latest and cleverest Spring fashions such as you would find in New York. Look anywhere about the city and we will duplicate nearly any suit that meets your fancy, and our closing out prices average only about 50c on the dollar.

Swell Easter Suits at Wholesale Prices.

At this time you will be particularly interested in our fine line of new black suits, blue suits and other dressy effects suitable for Easter wear. These, like all other clothing, go at actual wholesale prices.

50c, 75c, $1.00
Men's Neckwear 35c.
More than 200 different styles and patterns in beautiful silk neckwear. Special 35c or 2 for $1.00.

Men's $1.25
English Squares 75c.
The latest novelty in semi-dress neckwear, suitable for Easter. Special 75c.

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Fancy Hosiery 35c.
All the latest effects in men's fancy hosiery to be worn with low shoes. Lace effects and silk embroidered effects among them. Special 35c or 3 pairs for $1.00.

Men's 39c and 50c
Fancy Hose 25c.
Dozens of different styles in men's stylish, fancy hosiery. Qualities that bring 50c at all furnishing stores. While they last 25c.

Men's Fancy Shirts $1.00.
We shall make a specialty of a $1.00 shirt this season. We have gathered many fine styles that would ordinarily retail at $1.50. All the newest colorings and patterns among them in either stiff or soft bosom, pleated or plain. Shirts carefully made and cut to fit the body.

75c Boys' Caps 42c.
These come in the latest Spring style, called the "Milford." Regular price 75c, closing out price 42c.

$1.50 Misses' and Children's Tam-O'Shanter's 98c.
Fancy novelty tam-o'shanters for misses and children. Come in all colors and designs, in serges, broadcloths and French flannels. Closing out price 98c.

$12.50 Men's Spring Suits $7.20.
These suits come in the new single breasted sacque style, also in two-piece, outing style, made of cheviots, serges and worsteds, in the new stripes, plaids and fancy mixed effects. They are well lined with serge or Italian cloth. In the lot are also black clay worsteds. These are the very newest and handsomest $12.50 suits on the market. Closing out price $7.20.

$15.00 Men's Spring Suits $10.20.
At this price we shall close out dozens of swell styles in single breasted, also double breasted sack suits, also nobby two-piece outing suits made of the latest Spring materials, honestly tailored, every suit worth $15.00.

$20.00 Men's Spring Suits $14.40.
These are extra fine double or single breasted sack suits, hand-made buttonholes, hand-padded collars, moulded shoulders, carefully tailored. Come in all the latest mixed effects, also in black, clay and fancy worsteds.

$25.00 Men's Spring Suits $16.20.
This lot not only includes dozens of swell styles in business suits, but also the latest Spring desirs in three-button cutaways. The suits are made of cassimeres, tweeds, unfinished worsteds and clays. Lined with serge and Farmer's satin.

$27.50 Men's Prince Alberts $18.00.
These are the very latest style in Prince Alberts. Strictly custom tailored. Come in black clay, also unfinished worsteds or thibets. These fully equal any tailor-made Prince Albert suits. Closing out price $18.00.

Closing Out Boys' Clothing.
Now is the chance for mothers to buy the boy a new Spring suit and secure the same at wholesale price. Styles for boys of all ages from the little chaps up to the high school boys.

$3.50 and $4.00 Boy's Suits $2.27.
Boys' swell double breasted suits and norfolk suits worth $3.50 and $4.00. Closing out price $2.27. Materials are blue serges, mixed cheviots, extra well lined. Pants have riveted buttons and elastic waist band.

All Boys' Suits, Formerly $5.00 Now $3.25.
All of our boys' suits which formerly sold as high as $5.00 will now be sold at $3.25. This includes an endless variety of two piece suits, three piece suits, sailor norfolk, blouse, outing suits, and Buster Brown style, in cheviots, worsteds, cassimeres, serges, etc. All at $3.25.

50c and 75c Boys' Waists 39c.
Laundered waists in pretty new Spring patterns, with removable waist bands. Ages 4 to 12. Collars attached or golf style. Closing out price 39c.

$1.00 Boys' Blouses 69c.
Exclusive styles in boys' laundered blouses, in golf style or with laundered collars and cuffs, pretty new patterns. Special at 69c

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25c Boys' Neckwear 19c
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For today and tomorrow we have made radical reductions on a large line of fine silk waists just for Easter. These are made in the best manner of fine peau de soie, taffeta, etc., in black, white, plain shades and a great variety of fancy silks.

$10. Waists $7.50
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Tailored Suits, $27.50 Values for $22.50

Fancy voile suits, blue, brown and black. It's a plain colored voile with broken plaids in the nub effect. Silk lined eton Jackets with shoulder caps and broad girdle, vest effect of light blue corded silk. Entire suit tastefully trimmed in back braid, a suit for service as well as style.

Another One of plain Panama voile in navy and black, silk lined, collarless, eton jacket with shoulder caps, plaited sleeves. Jacket and skirt trimmed with broad and narrow black braid. Both these are regular $27.50 values, going at each..... $22.50

Tailored Suits, $25.00 Values for $20.00

Mixed Tweed suits in blue, brown and black mixed with white, a splendid general utility gown, neatly tailored and finished. Silk lined eton jacket with long cape, back and front, finished with Persian braids appliqued; full tucked walking length skirt.

Another Style in black and navy blue broadcloth, made with bolero over taffeta silk blouse, finished with broad bands of white taffeta and narrow braids, brass buttons etc. Cuffs edged with black lace. Kilted skirts cut walking length. Either of these two $25.00 values for..... $20.00

These are but a few among many exceptional values offered today. There are pretty cloth suits at $15.00, $17.50, $25.00, $30.00 and up to $100.00.

New Silk Shirt Waist Costumes $16 to $25

These or four dozen new ones will be shown for the first time today. Messalines, Louisines and Taffetas, prettily made, neat, dressy, genteel—and just in the nick of time for Easter. Plain browns, tans, champagne colors, blues and black and white and brown and white checked..... $16, $18, $20 and $25

New Voile Shirt Waist Suits $12.00

First showing today. Fine, sheer, voile suits for summer wear, Eton jacket with shirred yoke and caps on the shoulder. Two broad bands of shirring encircling the skirt, an entirely new design. Cream, black, blue and champagne colors; each $12.00.

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Highly mercerized Panama cloth waists; they launder perfectly. Broad band of Persian embroidery down the front, the cuffs and stock. A five-dollar value for..... $3.50

White lawn waists with rows of Valenciennes insertion down the front, over the shoulders, the sleeves, cuffs and stock; fine tucked back; a five-dollar value for..... $3.75

Waists of butchers' linen, good quality, the entire front covered with real hand-embroidered chrysanthemums; full, large sleeves. A regular six-dollar tailor-made waist for..... $4.50

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Important Piano Talk

Today we tell of our "one-price" policy. It is a curious fact that many people in buying a piano do not think so much of what they pay as how much they "get off" the first price.

For instance, a customer goes into one of the stores where there is a different price every day and a different price for every customer, and selects a pianoforte for which the dealer asks $600.00.

By dint of "beating down" and "hammering" they finally get the instrument for $425 and go away jubilant for having saved $175; but the next day they are filled with regret and depression because they did not keep on "hammering," and get off $50 or $75 more.

If they had gone to a wareroom where all goods are marked in plain figures, the same grade piano would probably have been $500—the first, last and only price.

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Nothing else was talked of by the few who knew it last evening. The "dark horse" from the north in a single step has reached the best position Mr. Huntington had to offer, and accepts, it is stated, at the highest salary ever paid to any Huntington employé.

Schindler is described as a young-appearing man of forty years. He was born in the Middle West and served as a civil engineer with the Southern Pacific for some years. After this he was in the engineering department of the United States government, along this Coast, and finally became associated with the projection and construction of the San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley Railroad, now the "Valley Division" of the Santa Fé.

He was appointed superintendent of that division at the time it was turned over to the system in the spring of 1900.

A fact showing the absolute unpremeditation of Mr. Huntington's selection is that Schindler had resigned within three weeks to accept the position of manager of the California and Northwestern—as announced in The Times. His resignation had just gone into effect, and within a few days he was scheduled to leave for the California and Northwestern's offices.

The whole transaction between Messrs. Huntington and Schindler, with all its ultimate meaning to the former's gigantic interests here, was a matter of barely twenty-four hours.

Said the man who won Schindler's appointment for him: "His principal traits and broad-gauge manhood, thoroughness of work and consideration of detail. He is a thorough gentleman in the true meaning of that much-abused term.

"Furthermore, he is what you'd call a 'comer' in the language of the street. His work as a masterful commander is yet to be done, and with his original ideas and theories, based on the sound practicability of sense and experience, I prophesy that he will make his mark as a managerial genius.

"It is a big thing for him to step into this new field in a night, so to speak. Mr. Randolph's shoes are hard to fill, and the position is ahead of all the rest under the Huntington régime. He is unknown and a surprise, but I am sure that he will win. He has every quality that makes for success."

EPES RANDOLPH,
Retiring General Manager of the Pacific Electric.

MRS. STARK'S FIT.

Alleged Attempt to Commit Suicide. Doctor Says Too Much Drink.

It was reported to the Police Station last night that Mrs. Joseph Stark, wife of the man who threatened to blow up the Huntington shops, had taken poison with suicidal intent at her residence, No. 806 South Hope street. The patrol wagon was sent there with Dr. Freedman, but it was ascertained that Mrs. Stark was only suffering from a fit, which the doctor said was due to drink. Later another similar report was made to the police, but they did not respond.

Stark is now serving a sentence in a San Francisco jail.

UNCLE SAM AFTER 'EM.

Action to Confiscate Silks that Are Alleged to Have Been Undervalued.

A complaint filed with the clerk of the United States District Court yesterday by United States District Attorney Valentine, entitled "The United States of America vs. Eight Pieces of Silk Cloth," etc., developed the fact that John C. Cline, collector of customs for this district, seized in February a consignment of fancy fabrics imported from Yokohama by Beeman & Hendee, which the government authorities now seek to have confiscated, on the charge that the government was defrauded of the true value of the customs on the goods through a false invoice entered at the customs house on behalf of M. A. Beeman and N. A. Hendee.

The goods consisted principally of oriental silks. The complaint recites that the importers named did, with intent to defraud the United States government of just revenues, "make and attempt to make an entry of said merchandise at the customs house by means of a certain false and fraudulent invoice, in that it was in substance declared and alleged that the dutiable value of the said eight pieces of white silk cloth was 33.40 yen, whereas, in truth it was 58.40 yen." It goes on to relate that three pieces of gauze silk cloth were entered at 34 yen as dutiable value, whereas, the real value was 78 yen, and so forth through the list of goods seized. A yen is not quite 50 cents.

The action was brought to enforce the forfeiture of the entire consignment to Beeman & Hendee, the goods to be sold by the government following their forfeiture.

TAKES POISON ROUTE.

Fred Eishman Found Dead at His Lodgings on East Second Street Last Night.

Fred Eishman, 30 years of age, committed suicide last night in a lodging-house at No. 228 East Second street by swallowing poison. Eishman was found in his room, dying, by other lodgers. Little was known at the lodging-house concerning him, as he had been rooming there only a short time. Several tablets of bichloride of mercury were found among his effects, but the cause of his death appeared something of a mystery, as there was no evidence that he had taken any of the tablets. The dead man's mother, Mrs. A. J. Eishman, lives at No. 403 Victor street. From letters found in his possession it seems Eishman was addicted to drink, as his mother pleaded with him to mend his ways. He had been ill several days and it is thought the poison was taken during a fit of despondency. An inquest will be held at Bresee Bros.' this morning.

WHY COBB CAME NOT.

Died Suddenly and Failed to Keep Appointment With His Son at Railroad Station.

A sad incident was connected with the taking off of J. M. Cobb, the barber who was found dead from heart disease Wednesday at No. 603½ South Broadway.

His son, T. A. Cobb, who for three years had been head porter at the Van Nuys, main street, had arranged to leave Wednesday morning for Vallejo, where he is to take a government position. It had been agreed between them that his father was to come to the depot to see him off.

The father did not come and the young man, not knowing that his sire lay dead, proceeded northward. His brother, M. L. Cobb of No. 1409 Palo Alto street, a conductor of the Pacific Electric Railway, did not succeed in reaching him by wire till he had sent a third telegram.

Mr. Cobb, the father, was formerly City Marshal of Orange. His age was 45. The funeral will be held at 9 o'clock this morning under Fraternal Brotherhood auspices at Bresee Bros.' The funeral will be at Orange, under the Foresters and Fraternal Brotherhood.

MATTHEW TEED, PIONEER, DEAD.

MEMBER OF LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL NINE YEARS.

First Came Here When Present Metropolis Was a Town of Three Thousand Inhabitants—Had Carpenter Shop Near First and Spring Streets Thirty-five Years Ago.

Death called another of the Los Angeles pioneers, Matthew Teed, yesterday morning, after an illness of four months. He was in his 76th year, and had been intimately associated with California events since 1854.

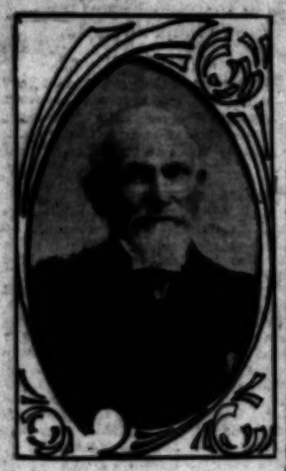
Matthew Teed was a native of England, his natal place being Budleigh, Devonshire, and the date April 17, 1828. His early youth was spent there, and when about 17 he started for California, by way of the Isthmus.

He learned the carpenter's trade and worked at this at San Francisco and other points, finally establishing himself in a shop at Stockton. There he was burned out, in 1857, losing everything he had but the clothes he wore.

He then came to Los Angeles, at that time a town of about 3000 inhabitants, and from here went to the Denver mining districts, just then prominent in the public mind. He had many wild experiences in his travels across the plains, and much of the time was a companion of Louis Simmons, a son-in-law of the famous Kit Carson.

Mr. Teed remained in the Colorado mining districts until the spring of 1862, and then struck out for the Northwest, visiting various points in Oregon and Washington Territory.

Returning to California, Mr. Teed mined in the El Paso district, and made numerous changes until 1868, when he came back to Los Angeles and went to work for the government at Wilmington. In 1867 he permanently established himself in this city and built a substantial residence on Fort Hill, now Buena Vista street. He opened a shop on First street, where



MATTHEW TEED.

is now the New York Kitchen.

In 1868 Mr. Teed married Miss Anna Toner, who died in 1875. He was elected a member of the City Council in 1870 and continued in that position, serving with honor to himself and much acceptability to the city for nine years, his last term being in 1884.

He was appointed a member of the City Park Commission in 1894, and served the city in this capacity for six years. In 1894 he built the Teed residence at No. 513 California street, which place had since been his home.

The marriage of Mr. Teed and Mrs. Helen G. Wyatt of Lamanda Park took place March 4, 1899, and she survives him. He was a Mason, member of Pentalpha Lodge and Signet Chapter, and one of the charter members of the Los Angeles County Pioneers' Association.

The funeral will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Masonic Temple on South Hill street, under the auspices of Pentalpha Lodge.

Rev. Will A. Knighten will participate in the services, and the Pioneers' Association will attend.

The pall-bearers will be City Treasurer W. H. Workman, J. M. Guinn, J. Slaughter, J. W. Gillette, M. Kremer and Robert Campbell. The remains will be cremated at Evergreen Cemetery.

HEAD PARTLY BLOWN OFF.

The body of a man supposed to be that of James Hogan of Pasadena, was yesterday found in an advanced state of decomposition, back of a hedge near Alhambra Junction, on the electric road to Pasadena. The man had apparently been dead a week or longer and his features were not recognizable. In his pocket was found a union woodworkers' card indicating that his name was James Hogan. A resident of Pasadena, after viewing the body stated it as his belief that the dead man was Hogan. A rusty revolver was found near the body. Much of his head was blown away and it is supposed that he took his own life. An inquest will be held at the morgue of Pierce Brothers at 10 o'clock this morning. Hogan was a middle-aged man with black whiskers.

POLITICAL.

SHOUTS FOR SAM TILDEN.

Brother Adcock Springs His Papyri on Iroquois.

Braves Swallow Any Old Thing but Hearst.

"Injun" With Ear on Ground Says Cuba'll be Free.

Old Dan Neuhart sat gloomily in a corner when the braves of Democracy assembled to make cornbeef hash of Willie Hearst's "boom" last night.

In his pocket, all crumpled and torn and spotted with his tears of anguish, was a most dejected-looking document; it was a fiery Hearst resolution that he wrote, but did not dare introduce.

Savage chops—he was told—watered cruelly to devour it.

The better element of Democracy that wouldn't go to Dan's free-soup Hearst convention, went to the meeting of the Iroquois Club last night on purpose to cry out against Hearst.

A man with a large, kind heart dragged Dan off into the boone room before the trouble began, and told him that if he dared to say one word about Hearst there would be a rough house, and only a piece of Willie's grisel would be left to tell the sad, sad story.

Dan never peeped.

ONLY A DRY SOB.

With a dry sob, old Dan pocketed little Willie for good and all. He sat there—a sad and pathetic picture.

All old Dan could do was to howl once in a while when some one chanced to mention "a young man." The "young man" usually turned out to be that frisky young goat, Mr. Bryan of Nebraska; but it cheered Dan some to yell.

That Hearst resolution, all written, was one of those pathetic little tendrils that fate seems to take a grudge against. Now Dan will smooth out its wrinkles, and, through his blinding tears, croon little songs of what might have been had not the real Democrats found out what he was going to do last night, and been there.

Whoever heard of anybody ever going to a meeting of the Iroquois Club? Prodded by the Examiner, Dan figured that here, two or three would be gathered together, and he and J. Harvey McCarthy—Hearst's other man—would be able to hustle another Hearst resolution through "with tumultuous cheers."

Judge of his pain when the hall was full.

Dan took his share of the cruel surprise with dumb, unspeaking anguish.

When McCarthy opened the door, and saw the crowd, he exclaimed, "Dan, what a mob," and was heard from no more.

The moments that followed the opening of the meeting were painful—in fact agonizing.

Nobody could think of an excuse for their all being there. Here was the County Central Committee and the City Central Committee and the whole Iroquois Club and nobody seemed to know why.

AWAITING THE CORPSE.

There sat a grim bunch of indignant Democrats. And they looked at Dan as much as to say, "Will you please have the kindness to bring out that Hearst resolution and watch our next movements attentively?"

And Dan sat there pensively watching the sleepy little flies with their tootsies gummed to the ceiling.

In the awkward silence, someone suggested that they had better organize something; but someone else suggested that rule 6007 or something forbade that distinctly.

"El Hutch," who came in late and was not "on," gave Dan a frightful nervous start by suggesting that they ought to "get behind something or somebody." But somebody gave him a hunch before he actually did it.

They almost fell on the neck of R. J. Adcock and wept with joy when he came to the rescue of the joint meeting with a resolution. It was a very powerful resolution. Very powerful.

Brother Adcock desired to resolute that if we didn't already have a Chief of Police wouldn't it be nice if he were a Democrat? Those were not the exact words, but the gist of it.

They perceived at once with a gush of gladness that this indeed was what they assembled for, and, referring it to a committee, adjourned with great relief.

EAR ON THE GROUND.

Brother Adcock also made a speech. He didn't mention Hearst because he didn't get any further than Tilden and didn't know about Hearst.

It seems as though Mr. Adcock must have made up this speech six or eight years ago and never have been able to find enough Democrats to listen to it.

Another explanation may be suggested by the fact that Adcock stated, during his speech, that he had his ear on the ground. Possibly he had just heard then from Cuba.

That was what was troubling Mr. Adcock—the war in Cuba (which Hearst claims to have brought about.) It was a dandy speech but somehow it seemed sort of remote and was greeted with amazement. Sort of sounded as though he had been interrupted a couple of campaigns ago and started up again just where he left off.

"We have went to work to free Cuba," began Brother Adcock, during the course of his remarks. Then he changed his mind and insisted that Ireland ought to be free.

One matter that he brought up is very serious.

He feels the preliminary and suspicious pains of labor. He is afraid we are going to have a king. He appeared undecided whether to nominate J. Pierpont Morgan or Rockefeller.

STRONG FOR TILDEN.

Old Dan had evidently been trying to wake from his dreams of the dear dead past and tell him about Hearst.

Adcock seemed not to be able to remember the gentleman's name (to Dan's unspeakable relief as it turned out.) In a slow, impressive way he began saying something about a "young man."

Dan—the wild light of alarm came into Dan's eye, though he cheered. Adcock came to a full stop, looking rather distressed, and remarked that Bryan was a fine man. In the end he came out strong for Tilden, now dead for a dozen years or so. He said it was a mean shame about Tilden.

"And," said Adcock, "that is the way things is run."

Dan desires the condolences of all true friends.

FAVOR DOUBLE-BARRELED PLAN.

SAME DELEGATES LIKELY FOR TWO CONVENTIONS.

Executive Committee of Republican County Central Committee Working on Scheme by Which Same Men May be Representatives to State and Congress Gatherings.

It was practically arranged by the Executive Committee of the Republican County Central Committee yesterday to have the same delegates for the State and Congress conventions of that party. The committee met in the newly-opened rooms of the Republican League at No. 213½ West Second street, with Bradner W. Lee presiding.

Representing the Congress committee, Luther Brown asked that a subcommittee be appointed to arrange details with a subcommittee of the Congress Committee concerning a plan for the same delegates to attend both conventions.

Mr. Lee named Willis Boothe, Frank Thomas and J. W. McKinley. From the Congress Committee will be James Clarke, Oscar Lawler and Luther Brown.

Incidentally, the matter of the prize banner over which the county has never been able to properly gloat because of lack of a place to display it, was taken up. The trophy was won by Los Angeles county for returning the biggest Republican majority for Parker.

A. A. Allen, president of the new Republican League, asked to have the banner displayed in the rooms of the league, at the same time offering the use of the rooms to the Executive Committee for its meetings. A subcommittee was appointed to arrange about the asked-for display of the banner.

Vacancies in the offices of precinct committeemen, occasioned by the resignation of former members of the committee and the creation of new precincts were filled as follows:

Long Beach, Dr. L. A. Perce, vice W. P. L. Stafford, resigned; precinct 24, James A. Hill, vice H. O. Collins, resigned; precinct 23, Dr. W. W. Beardsley, vice George I. Cochran, resigned; Santa Monica precinct No. 1, George E. Snyder, vice Davis M. Clark, resigned; precinct No. 3, new, Frank P. Steadman; Florence precinct, new, H. P. Blakeley; Cerritos precinct, Frank G. Butler, vice J. F. Raines, resigned; San Pedro, No. 1, W. H. Savage, vice L. W. Goodhue, resigned; No. 2, new, George Van Buskirk, vice L. M. Meyerle, resigned; Palmdale, John A. Scherer, vice John B. Lewis, resigned; Lancaster, H. W. Butterworth, vice A. Melrose, resigned; La Cañada, W. A. White; Wilsonburg, J. F. Hawk, vice R. Root, resigned; precinct No. 61, new, W. E. Strong; precinct No. 62, new, F. W. Fowler; precinct No. 64, new, C. P. Kitts; precinct No. 65, new, F. W. Stine; precinct No. 66, new, Edward Dalton; precinct No. 72, new, F. S. Spaulding; Sawtelle, new, J. A. Bowers; Sawtelle, No. 2, new, D. M. Cowan; Monsta, new, D. Weed; Gardena, new, L. M. West; Green Meadows, new, O. A. Nelson; precinct No. 94, new, John F. Hughes.

Vacancies in the following precincts will be filled by appointment by the chairman: Alhambra, new; Colegrove, new; Eagle Rock, new; Hollywood city, new; Long Beach, Sherman, Short, Summerland, No. 182, No. 174.

FEAST OF THE PASSOVER.

Rabbi Hecht Discusses that Blood of Israel be Kept Pure—Temple Finely Decorated.

The most elaborate floral decorations that have ever graced the Jewish Temple B'nai B'rith were there yesterday. Calias were exclusively used, except where green was introduced. The set feature of the display consisted of two handsome stars at the reading desk, made of calias and outlined in electric lights to add to their beauty.

The occasion of the decorations and the service in the temple yesterday was the annual Feast of the Passover. Special music was rendered, and the discourse of Rabbi B. Hecht was upon the theme: "Israel and the Passover."

Rabbi Hecht declared that the Passover was of just as much importance to the present generation as it was to the people of Israel on the night it marked their freedom from the oppression of the Pharohs. He argued that liberty, Israel, Passover, are very closely allied one to the other, but that this situation can only be maintained by unswerving devotion to "name, language, tradition and purity."

He admonished his hearers to abjure intermarriage with other peoples, and thus refuse to give consent to the passing out of existence of the Jewish nation.

PERSONAL.

C. H. McFarland, Mayor of Riverside, is registered at the Hollenbeck.

Fred Codington, a mining man from Juneau, Mex., is registered at the Broadway Van Nuys.

D. Goldhaum, an extensive stock raiser of Lower California, is registered at the Nadeau from Ensenada.

E. P. Foster, cashier of the First National Bank, Ventura, is in the city on business and is registered at the Van Nuys.

H. Fisher, banker of Redlands, accompanied by Mrs. Fisher, has apartments at the Van Nuys. They are en route to San Francisco.

Charles E. Judd, a Grand Rapids manufacturer, accompanied by Mrs. Judd, is touring the Pacific Coast and is now sojourning at the Angelus.

A. C. and Mrs. Munroe of Worcester, Mass., are guests at the Broadway Van Nuys. Mr. Munroe is interested in the manufacturing concerns of the eastern industrial center.

John Morton, secretary and treasurer of the Southern California Hospital for the Insane, returned yesterday from Sacramento. He brought with him the approved plans for the new executive building for the hospital.

A Friend in Need

Jack: You won't lend me a V? Why, you loaned a ten-spot to Jones, and he's almost a stranger to you.

Tom: Well?

Jack: Well, I'm an old friend of yours.

Tom: Exactly, Jack, and I don't want to lose you.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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Tailored Suits, $27.50 Values for $22.50

Fancy voile suits, blue, brown and black. It's a plain colored voile with broken plaids in the nub effect. Silk lined eton Jackets with shoulder cape and broad girdle, vest effect of light blue corded silk. Entire suit tastefully trimmed in back braid, a suit for service as well as style.

Another One of plain Panama voile in navy and black, silk lined, collarless, eton jacket with shoulder cape, plaited sleeves. Jacket and skirt trimmed with broad and narrow black braid. Both these are regular $27.50 values, going at each..... $22.50

Tailored Suits, $25.00 Values for $20.00

Mixed Tweed suits in blue, brown and black mixed with white, a splendid general utility gown, neatly tailored and finished. Silk lined eton jacket with long cape, back and front finished with Persian braids appliqued; full tucked walking length skirt.

Another Style in black and navy blue broadcloth, made with bolero over taffeta silk blouse, finished with broad bands of white taffeta and narrow braids, brass buttons etc. Cuffs edged with black lace. Kilted skirts cut walking length. Either of these two $25.00 values for..... $20.00

These are but a few among many exceptional values offered today. There are pretty cloth suits at $15.00, $17.50, $25.00, $30.00 and up to $100.00.

New Silk Shirt Waist Costumes $16 to $25

Three or four dozen new ones will be shown for the first time today. Messalines, Louisines and Taffetas, prettily made, neat, dressy, genteel—and just in the nick of time for Easter. Plain browns, tans, champagne colors, blues and black and white and brown and white shepherd checks..... $16, $18, $20 and $25

New Voile Shirt Waist Suits $12.00

First showing today. Fine, sheer, voile suits for summer wear, Eton jacket with shirred yoke and caps on the shoulder. Two broad bands of shirring encircling the skirt, an entirely new design. Cream, black, blue and champagne colors; each $12.00.

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Highly mercerized Panama cloth waists; they launder perfectly. Broad band of Persian embroidery down the front, the cuffs and stock. A five-dollar value for..... $3.50

Waists of butchers' linen, good quality, the entire front covered with real hand-embroidered chrysanthemums; full, large sleeves. A regular six-dollar tailor-made waist for..... $4.50

White lawn waists with rows of Valenciennes insertion down the front, over the shoulders, the sleeves, cuffs and stock; fine tucked back; a five-dollar value for..... $3.75

Other styles of lawn, with Val. lace and insertion trimmings, some with entire lace berthas, Japanese embroidery, etc., up to..... $12.00

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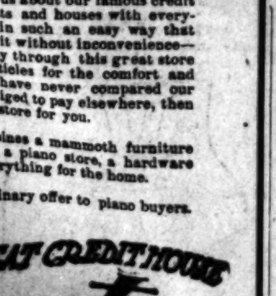

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For instance, a customer goes into one of the stores where there is a different price every day and a different price for every customer, and selects a pianoforte for which the dealer asks $600.00.

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Mr. Schindler will enter upon his new duties next Monday morning, when he will take full charge and control of the Pacific Electric and Interurban roads in all their doings and various future plans. Mr. Huntington says he has found a man who is not bound to cut-and-dried ideas of policy that everyone can foresee, and who will take the weight of responsibility almost completely off the overburdened Huntington shoulders.

Mr. Schindler's friends regard the appointment as a sensational personal triumph. Forty-eight hours ago it is said Mr. Huntington had no direct idea in any way as to the successor of Randolph. Another railroad man presented Schindler's case, and with a characteristic, comprehensively quick intellectual movement, the chief of these great electric roads decided that Schindler was exactly the square peg for the square hole. Last night the square peg dropped into its proper place.

Nothing else was talked of by the few who knew it last evening. The "dark horse" from the north in a single step has reached the best position Mr. Huntington had to offer, and accepts, it is stated, at the highest salary ever paid to any Huntington employé.

Schindler is described as a young-appearing man of forty years. He was born in the Middle West and served as a civil engineer with the Southern Pacific for some years. After this he was in the engineering department of the United States government, along this Coast, and finally became associated with the projection and construction of the San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley Railroad, now the "Valley Division" of the Santa Fé.

He was appointed superintendent of that division at the time it was turned over to the system in the spring of 1900.

A fact showing the absolute unpremeditation of Mr. Huntington's selection is that Schindler had resigned within three weeks to accept the position of manager of the California and Northwestern—as announced in The Times. His resignation had just gone into effect, and within a few days he was scheduled to leave for the California and Northwestern's offices.

The whole transaction between Messrs. Huntington and Schindler, with all its ultimate meaning to the former's gigantic interests here, was a matter of barely twenty-four hours.

Said the man who won Schindler's appointment for him: "His principal traits and broad-gauge manhood, thoroughness of work and consideration of detail. He is a thorough gentleman in the true meaning of that much-abused term.

"Furthermore, he is what you'd call a 'comer' in the language of the street. His work as a masterful commander is yet to be done, and with his original ideas and theories, based on the sound practicability of sense and experience, I prophesy that he will make his mark as a managerial genius.

"It is a big thing for him to step into this new field in a night, so to speak. Mr. Randolph's shoes are hard to fill, and the position is ahead of all the rest under the Huntington régime. He is unknown and a surprise, but I am sure that he will win. He has every quality that makes for success."

EPES RANDOLPH,
Retiring General Manager of the Pacific Electric.

MRS. STARK'S FIT.

Alleged Attempt to Commit Suicide. Doctor Says Too Much Drink.

It was reported to the Police Station last night that Mrs. Joseph Stark, wife of the man who threatened to blow up the Huntington shops, had taken poison with suicidal intent at her residence, No. 806 South Hope street. The patrol wagon was sent there with Dr. Freedman, but it was ascertained that Mrs. Stark was only suffering from a fit, which the doctor said was due to drink. Later another similar report was made to the police, but they did not respond.

Stark is now serving a sentence in a San Francisco jail.

UNCLE SAM AFTER 'EM.

Action to Confiscate Silks that Are Alleged to Have Been Undervalued.

A complaint filed with the clerk of the United States District Court yesterday by United States District Attorney Valentine, entitled "The United States of America vs. Eight Pieces of Silk Cloth," etc., developed the fact that John C. Cline, collector of customs for this district, seized in February a consignment of fancy fabrics imported from Yokohama by Beeman & Hendee, which the government authorities now seek to have confiscated, on the charge that the government was defrauded of the true value of the customs on the goods through a false invoice entered at the customs house on behalf of M. A. Beeman and N. A. Hendee.

The goods consisted principally of oriental silks. The complaint recites that the importers named did, with intent to defraud the United States government of just revenues, "make and attempt to make an entry of said merchandise at the customs house by means of a certain false and fraudulent invoice, in that it was in substance declared and alleged that the dutiable value of the said eight pieces of white silk cloth was 38.40 yen, whereas, in truth it was 86.40 yen." It goes on to relate that three pieces of gauze silk cloth were entered at 24 yen as dutiable value, whereas, the real value was 78 yen, and so forth through the list of goods seized. A yet is not quite 50 cents.

The action was brought to enforce the forfeiture of the entire consignment to Beeman & Hendee, the goods to be sold by the government following their forfeiture.

TAKES POISON ROUTE.

Fred Elshman Found Dead at His Lodgings on East Second Street Last Night.

Fred Elshman, 30 years of age, committed suicide last night in a lodging-house at No. 228 East Second street by swallowing poison. Elshman was found in his room, dying, by other lodgers. Little was known at the lodging-house concerning him, as he had been rooming there only a short time. Several tablets of bichloride of mercury were found among his effects, but the cause of his death appeared something of a mystery, as there was no evidence that he had taken any of the tablets. The dead man's mother, Mrs. A. J. Elshman, lives at No. 402 Victor street. From letters found in his possession it seems Elshman was addicted to drink, as his mother pleaded with him to mend his ways. He had been ill several days and it is thought the poison was taken during a fit of despondency. An inquest will be held at Bresee Bros.' this morning.

WHY COBB CAME NOT.

Died Suddenly and Failed to Keep Appointment With His Son at Railroad Station.

A sad incident was connected with the taking off of J. M. Cobb, the barber who was found dead from heart disease Wednesday at No. 605½ South Broadway.

His son, T. A. Cobb, who for three years had been head porter at the Van Nuys, Main street, had arranged to leave Wednesday morning for Vallejo, where he is to take a government position. It had been agreed between them that his father was to come to the depot to see him off.

The father did not come and the young man, not knowing that his sire lay dead, proceeded northward. His brother, M. L. Cobb of No. 1609 Palo Alto street, a conductor of the Pacific Electric Railway, did not succeed in reaching him by wire till he had sent a third telegram.

Mr. Cobb, the father, was formerly City Marshal of Orange. His age was 45. The funeral will be held at 9 o'clock this morning under Fraternal Brotherhood auspices at Bresee Bros.' The funeral will be at Orange, under the Foresters and Fraternal Brotherhood.

MATTHEW TEED, PIONEER, DEAD.

MEMBER OF LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL NINE YEARS.

First Came Here When Present Metropolis Was a Town of Three Thousand Inhabitants—Had Carpenter Shop Near First and Spring Streets Thirty-five Years Ago.

Death called another of the Los Angeles pioneers, Matthew Teed, yesterday morning, after an illness of four months. He was in his 76th year, and had been intimately associated with California events since 1854.

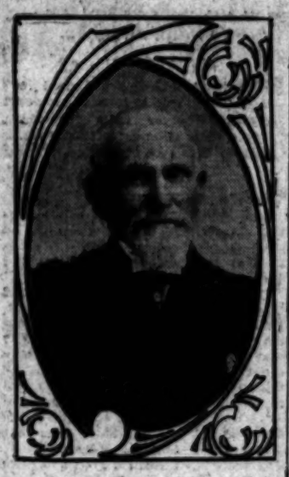
Matthew Teed was a native of England, his natal place being Budleigh, Devonshire, and the date April 17, 1828. His early youth was spent there, and when about 17 he started for California, by way of the Isthmus.

He learned the carpenter's trade and worked at this at San Francisco and other points, finally establishing himself in a shop at Stockton. There he was burned out, in 1857, losing everything he had but the clothes he wore.

He then came to Los Angeles, at that time a town of about 3000 inhabitants, and from here went to the Denver mining districts, just then prominent in the public mind. He had many wild experiences in his travels across the plains, and much of the time was a companion of Louis Simmons, a son-in-law of the famous Kit Carson.

Mr. Teed remained in the Colorado mining districts until the spring of 1862, and then struck out for the Northwest, visiting various points in Oregon and Washington Territory.

Returning to California, Mr. Teed mined in the El Paso district, and made numerous changes until 1868, when he came back to Los Angeles and went to work for the government at Wilmington. In 1867 he permanently established himself in this city and built a substantial residence on Fort Hill, now Buena Vista street. He opened a shop on First street, where



MATTHEW TEED.

is now the New York Kitchen.

In 1868 Mr. Teed married Miss Anna Toner, who died in 1873. He was elected a member of the City Council in 1870 and continued in that position, serving with honor to himself and much acceptability to the city for nine years, his last term being in 1886.

He was appointed a member of the City Park Commission in 1894, and served the city in this capacity for six years. In 1894 he built the Teed residence at No. 513 California street, which place had since been his home.

The marriage of Mr. Teed and Mrs. Helen G. Wyatt of Lamanda Park took place March 4, 1899, and she survives him. He was a Mason, member of Pentalpha Lodge and Signet Chapter, and one of the charter members of the Los Angeles County Pioneers' Association.

The funeral will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Masonic Temple on South Hill street, under the auspices of Pentalpha Lodge.

Rev. Will A. Knighten will participate in the services, and the Pioneers' Association will attend.

The pall-bearers will be City Treasurer W. H. Workman, J. M. Guinn, J. Slaughter, J. W. Gillette, M. Kremer and Robert Campbell. The remains will be cremated at Evergreen Cemetery.

HEAD PARTLY BLOWN OFF.

The body of a man supposed to be that of James Hogan of Pasadena, was yesterday found in an advanced state of decomposition, back of a hedge near Alhambra Junction, on the electric road to Pasadena. The man had apparently been dead a week or longer and his features were not recognizable. In his pocket was found a union woodworkers' card indicating that his name was James Hogan. A resident of Pasadena after viewing the body stated it as his belief that the dead man was Hogan. A rusty revolver was found near the body. Much of his head was blown away and it is supposed that he took his own life. An inquest will be held at the morgue of Pierce Brothers at 10 o'clock this morning. Hogan was a middle-aged man with black whiskers.

POLITICAL.

SHOUTS FOR SAM TILDEN.

Brother Adcock Springs His Papyri on Iroquois.

Braves Swallow Any Old Thing but Hearst.

"Injun" With Ear on Ground Says Cuba'll be Free.

Old Dan Neuhart sat gloomily in a corner when the braves of Democracy assembled to make cornbeef hash of Willie Hearst's "boom" last night.

In his pocket, all crumpled and torn and spotted with his tears of anguish, was a most dejected-looking document; it was a fiery Hearst resolution that he wrote, but did not dare introduce.

Savage chops—he was told—watered cruelly to devour it.

The better element of Democracy that wouldn't go to Dan's free-soup Hearst convention, went to the meeting of the Iroquois Club last night on purpose to cry out against Hearst.

A man with a large, kind heart dragged Dan off into the boone room before the trouble began, and told him that if he dared to say one word about Hearst there would be a rough house, and only a piece of Willie's grizel would be left to tell the sad, sad story.

Dan never peeped.

ONLY A DRY SOB.

With a dry sob, old Dan pocketed little Willie for good and all. He sat there—a sad and pathetic picture.

All old Dan could do was to howl once in a while when some one chanced to mention "a young man." The "young man" usually turned out to be that frisky young goat, Mr. Bryan of Nebraska; but it cheered Dan some to yell.

That Hearst resolution, all written, was one of those pathetic little tendrils that fate seems to take a grudge against. Now Dan will smooth out its wrinkles, and, through his blinding tears, croon little songs of what might have been had not the real Democrats found out what he was going to do last night, and been there.

Whoever heard of anybody ever going to a meeting of the Iroquois Club? Prodded by the Examiner, Dan figured that here, two or three would be gathered together, and he and J. Harvey McCarthy—Hearst's other man—would be able to hustle another Hearst resolution through "with tumultuous cheers."

Judge of his pain when the hall was full.

Dan took his share of the cruel surprise with dumb, unspeaking anguish.

When McCarthy opened the door, and saw the crowd, he exclaimed, "Gee, what a mob," and was heard from no more.

The moments that followed the opening of the meeting were painful—in fact agonizing.

Nobody could think of an excuse for their all being there. Here was the County Central Committee and the City Central Committee and the whole Iroquois Club and nobody seemed to know why.

AWAITING THE CORPSE.

There sat a grim bunch of indignant Democrats. And they looked at Dan as much as to say, "Will you please have the kindness to bring out that Hearst resolution and watch our next movements attentively?"

And Dan sat there pensively watching the sleepy little flies with their tootsies gummed to the ceiling.

In the awkward silence, someone suggested that they had better organize something; but someone else suggested that rule 00007 or something forbade that distinctly.

"El Hutch," who came in late and was not "on," gave Dan a frightful nervous start by suggesting that they ought to "get behind something or somebody." But somebody gave him a hunch before he actually did it.

They almost fell on the neck of R. J. Adcock and wept with joy when he came to the rescue of the joint meeting with a resolution. It was a very powerful resolution. Very powerful.

Brother Adcock desired to resolute that if we didn't already have a Chief of Police wouldn't it be nice if he were a Democrat? Those were not the exact words, but the gist of it.

They perceived at once with a gush of gladness that this indeed was what they assembled for, and, referring it to a committee, adjourned with great relief.

EAR ON THE GROUND.

Brother Adcock also made a speech. He didn't mention Hearst because he didn't get any further than Tilden and didn't know about Hearst.

It seems as though Mr. Adcock must have made up this speech six or eight years ago and never have been able to find enough Democrats to listen to it.

Another explanation may be suggested by the fact that Adcock stated, during his speech, that he had his ear on the ground. Possibly he had just heard then from Cuba.

That was what was troubling Mr. Adcock—the war in Cuba (which Hearst claims to have brought about.) It was a dandy speech but somehow it seemed sort of remote and was greeted with amazement. Sort of sounded as though he had been interrupted a couple of campaigns ago and started up again just where he left off.

"We have went to work to free Cuba," began Brother Adcock, during the course of his remarks. Then he changed his mind and insisted that Ireland ought to be free.

One matter that he brought up is very serious.

He feels the preliminary and suspicious pains of labor. He is afraid we are going to have a king. He appeared undecided whether to nominate J. Pierpont Morgan or Rockefeller.

STRONG FOR TILDEN.

Old Dan had evidently been trying to wake from his dreams of the dear dead past and tell him about Hearst.

Adcock seemed not to be able to remember the gentleman's name (to Dan's unspeakable relief as it turned out.) In a slow, impressive way he began saying something about a "young man."

Dan—the wild light of alarm came into Dan's eye, though he cheered. Adcock came to a full stop, looking rather distressed, and remarked that Bryan was a fine man. In the end he came out strong for Tilden, now dead for a dozen years or so. He said it was a mean shame about Tilden.

"And," said Adcock, "that is the way things is run."

Dan desires the condolences of all true friends.

FAVOR DOUBLE-BARRELED PLAN.

SAME DELEGATES LIKELY FOR TWO CONVENTIONS.

Executive Committee of Republican County Central Committee Working on Scheme by Which Same Men May be Representatives to State and Congress Gatherings.

It was practically arranged by the Executive Committee of the Republican County Central Committee yesterday to have the same delegates for the State and Congress conventions of that party. The committee met in the newly-opened rooms of the Republican League at No. 211½ West Second street, with Bradner W. Lee presiding.

Representing the Congress committee, Luther Brown asked that a subcommittee be appointed to arrange details with a subcommittee of the Congress Committee concerning a plan for the same delegates to attend both conventions.

Mr. Lee named Willis Booth, Frank Thomas and J. W. McKinley. From the Congress Committee will be James Clarke, Oscar Lawler and Luther Brown.

Incidentally, the matter of the prize banner over which the county has never been able to properly gloat because of lack of a place to display it, was taken up. The trophy was won by Los Angeles county for returning the biggest Republican majority for Pardee.

A. A. Allen, president of the new Republican League, asked to have the banner displayed in the rooms of the league, at the same time offering the use of the rooms to the Executive Committee for its meetings. A subcommittee was appointed to arrange about the asked-for display of the banner.

Vacancies in the offices of precinct committeemen, occasioned by the resignation of former members of the committees and the creation of new precincts were filled as follows:

Long Beach, Dr. L. A. Perce, vice W. P. L. Stafford, resigned; precinct 24, James A. Hill, vice H. O. Collins, resigned; precinct 32, Dr. W. W. Beckett, vice George I. Cochran, resigned; Santa Monica precinct No. 1, George E. Snyder, vice Davis M. Clark, resigned; precinct No. 9, new, Frank P. Steadman; Florence precinct, new, H. P. Blakeley; Cerritos precinct, Frank G. Butler, vice J. F. Raines, resigned; San Pedro, No. 1, W. H. Savage, vice L. W. Goodhue, resigned; Del Rey, George Van Buskirk, vice L. H. Mayette, resigned; Palmdale, John A. Scherer, vice John R. Lewis, resigned; Lancaster, H. W. Butterworth, vice A. A. Melrose, resigned; La Cañada, A. A. White; Wiseburn, J. F. Hawk, vice R. Root, resigned; precinct No. 41, new, W. R. Strong; precinct No. 42, new, F. W. Powers; precinct No. 43, new, C. P. Kitts; precinct No. 44, new, F. W. Stine; precinct No. 69, new, Edward Dalton; precinct No. 72, new, F. E. Spaulding; Sawtelle, new, J. A. Bowers; Sawtelle, No. 2, new, D. M. Cowan; Monetta, new, D. Wood; Gardena, new, L. H. West; Green Meadows, new, C. A. Nelson; precinct No. 34, new, John F. Hughes.

Vacancies in the following precincts will be filled by appointment by the chairman: Alhambra, new; Colegrove, new; Eagle Rock, new; Hollywood city, new; Long Beach, Sherman, Shorb, Summerland, No. 182, No. 176.

FEAST OF THE PASSOVER.

Rabbi Hecht Demands that Blood of Israel be Kept Pure—Temple Finely Decorated.

The most elaborate floral decorations that have ever graced the Jewish Temple B'nai B'rith were there yesterday. Calias were exclusively used, except where green was introduced. The set feature of the display consisted of two handsome stars at the reading desk, made of calias and outlined in electric lights to add to their beauty.

The occasion of the decorations and the service in the temple yesterday was the annual Feast of the Passover. Special music was rendered, and the discourse of Rabbi B. Hecht was upon the theme: "Israel and the Passover."

Rabbi Hecht declared that the Passover was of just as much importance to the present generation as it was to the people of Israel on the night it marked their freedom from the oppression of the Pharaos. He argued that liberty, Israel, Passover, are very closely allied one to the other, but that this situation can only be maintained by unswerving devotion to name, language, tradition and purity."

He admonished his hearers to abjure intermarriage with other peoples, and thus refuse to give consent to the passing out of existence of the Jewish nation.

PERSONAL.

C. H. McFarland, Mayor of Riverside, is registered at the Hollenbeck.

Fred Codington, a mining man from Juarez, Mex., is registered at the Broadway Van Nuys.

D. Goldbaum, an extensive stock raiser of Lower California, is registered at the Nadeau from Ensenada.

E. P. Foster, cashier of the First National Bank, Ventura, is in the city on business and is registered at the Van Nuys.

H. Fisher, banker of Redlands, accompanied by Mrs. Fisher, has apartments at the Van Nuys. They are en route to San Francisco.

Charles B. Judd, a Grand Rapids manufacturer, accompanied by Mrs. Judd, is touring the Pacific Coast and is now sojourning at the Angelus.

A. C. and Mrs. Munroe of Worcester, Mass., are guests at the Broadway Van Nuys. Mr. Munroe is interested in the manufacturing concerns of the eastern industrial center.

John Morton, secretary and treasurer of the Southern California Hospital for the Insane, returned yesterday from Sacramento. He brought with him the approved plans for the new executive building for the hospital.

A Friend in Need.

Jack: You won't lend me a V? Why, you loaned a ten-spot to Jones, and he's almost a stranger to you.

Tom: Well?

Jack: Well, I'm an old friend of yours.

Tom: Exactly, Jack, and I don't want to lose you.—[Philadelphia Ledger.

PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The heads of all city departments met in conference with the Council yesterday and arranged for a new purchasing system, which will go into effect today.

The last phase of the deal by which J. A. Overholtzer made a bogus sale of an orange grove to W. R. Homan, is marked by a suit brought by Homan to recover damages from the notary public who certified to the fraudulent deed.

Whittier purchased a voting machine yesterday, the county paying half.

Margaret West, who acquired unenviable notoriety by floating many chattel mortgages, is very sick and still in the hospital. The charge against her may be dismissed.

Two butchers who persisted in using preservative in meat were yesterday fined in the Police Court.

The Lyric Theater license question is to be submitted to Justice Chambers on briefs.

AT THE CITY HALL.

SYSTEM FOR PURCHASING.

NEW METHOD OF SECURING CITY SUPPLIES.

Complete Check on All Orders. Requisitions Issued in Triplicate Before Goods Are Ordered—One Price to All Dealers—Methods Heretofore in Vogue.

The contemplated change in the method of purchasing supplies for the city was made effective yesterday. A conference of members of the Council with the heads of all departments was held in the committee room and a thorough understanding of the new system had. Today the first of the new requisitions will come before the Supply Committee of the Council for approval. Chairman Davenport of the committee has agreed to be at the City Hall every morning at 9 o'clock to approve orders for supplies.

E. E. Bostwick, Deputy City Auditor, explained the working of the system to department heads yesterday, and urged thorough cooperation to insure success. He said the requisition system in vogue at the City Hall for several years was an absolute farce. The proposed system, he said, would undoubtedly cause some friction at the start, but would most surely work out to the benefit of the city in the end.

Under the old system the head of the department bought whatever goods or material was needed at a price fixed by the dealer, with the exception of the comparatively few articles covered by contracts. Then the department head presented a requisition to the Supply Committee, had it approved and attached it to a demand with the bill from the dealer. Only in exceptional cases have the requisitions been submitted before the material was purchased. Therefore the work of the Supply Committee was largely perfunctory and in the main useless.

The chief feature of the new system is the requirement that the requisition, in all but emergency cases, be first passed upon by the Supply Committee. Notice will be given merchants that the city will not be bound for any orders which are not accompanied by a requisition duly approved. Also, under this system a uniform price will be fixed for all supplies. Either by letting contracts or by getting bids informally, the city will fix a buying price for each article in use. Any dealer can furnish the article, but it must be at the city's price.

The requisitions come in neatly-bound books, and are numbered in triplicate. The original is kept by the department head, the duplicate by the committee clerk of the Council and the triplicate goes as an order to the dealer and is by him attached to his bill when presented for payment. When issuing a requisition the department head or his chief deputy must sign it in his own handwriting. No stamps are allowed. The requisition must state the amount and grade of material desired, but not the price. This last essential is inserted by the committee clerk from lists approved by the Council. After approval by the Supply Committee the head of the department may send the triplicate of the requisition to any dealer he may elect. When the goods are delivered they must be receipted for by the person receiving them and the head of the department must again sign the triplicate stating that this receipt was authorized by him. Then the bill and requisition can be presented for payment.

Despite the red tape of the new system it is believed by members of the Council that it will work out to the benefit of the city. A complete check is provided and it will be impossible to favor one dealer above another in the matter of prices. A practical test of a similar system has been made at the Courthouse with very successful results.

Cremate Dog Scalps.

To make sure that no scalps were presented twice to the city under the contract for the extermination of unlicensed canines, the Health Officer issued an order yesterday that all scalps must henceforth be destroyed at the crematory. There was a rumor at the Hall yesterday that the city had been scalped with the same scalps more than once, but Health Officer Powers said he knew of no such proceeding.

Finance Committee.

The Council's Finance Committee referred the offer of the Emergency and General Hospital to establish at their building at Crocker street and Towne avenue a receiving hospital for the city to the City Attorney. Kern favored the acceptance of the offer and Summerland and Skilling were inclined to oppose it.

It was decided that nothing could be done toward the purchase of Summerland Park in the Alvarado Terrace tract until the beginning of a new fiscal year.

Case of Smallpox.

The first case of smallpox this year was reported yesterday from Fickett street. A traveler from Oklahoma caught the disease en route to California, and was taken sick at the Fickett-street house.

Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

Yosemite Valley Open.

The Raymond-Wawona route to Yosemite positively opens April 1. Make arrangements now for sleeping-car accommodations, stage seats, etc., at office of the Southern Pacific, 261 South Spring street, Los Angeles.

Athens Bros. sell modern houses.

Do Your Eyes Itch and Burn?

Murine Eye Remedy is an Eye Tonic. Cures Sore Eyes, Keeps Them Strong.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

CERTIFIED TO A BOGUS DEED.

NOTARY IN THE CARL ANDERSON FRAUD SUED.

W. R. Homan Seeking to Recover on Bond of John Wayer, Who Affixed His Notarial Seal to an Instrument Conveying Mrs. Griswold's Orange Grove to Anderson.

To be a notary public carries no honor with it these days, and the emoluments are not what they used to be, for the woods are full of notaries and every large office has an employé who has a shingle out. But there are responsibilities attached to the office, as is shown in the suit brought by W. R. Homan against John Wayer and the American Bonding Company of Baltimore, to recover $1500.

It was before Wayer that J. A. Overholtzer, alias Carl Anderson, appeared September 26, 1903, in company with Mrs. Mary E. Allen, and represented that his companion, whom he introduced as Mrs. Mary E. Griswold, wished to make a conveyance of certain property.

The story of what took place has been told. Mrs. Allen, posing as Mrs. Griswold, made a deed conveying to Overholtzer a small orange grove near Pomona. Wayer, as notary public, certified over his signature that Mary E. Griswold had personally appeared before him and executed and acknowledged the deed. As a matter of fact Wayer did not know whether it was Mrs. Griswold or not, but certified to it as a matter of form.

On the strength of that deed, duly certified, Overholtzer was enabled to make a sale of the property, to which he had obtained bogus title, to W. R. Homan, for $1650, $550 being paid and a mortgage note given for the balance. Shortly afterward Homan discovered the forgery and the arrest of Overholtzer and Mrs. Allen followed. But this did not take place until Homan had been put to considerable trouble and expense. In the complaint he avers that he was compelled to offer a reward of $100 for the arrest of Overholtzer, known then only as Carl Anderson, and expended considerable money in telegraphing and retaining the services of attorneys to straighten the tangle. On February 21 Overholtzer and Mrs. Allen were arrested, and two days later the true Mrs. Griswold began a suit to quiet her title to the property involved, inasmuch as the fraudulent deed was a cloud.

Wednesday Overholtzer put up a strong plea for mercy and escaped with two years at San Quentin. Yesterday Mrs. Allen appeared before Judge Smith and was arraigned, but Dist.-Atty. Fredericks moved to dismiss the charge on the ground that there was not evidence enough to convict. This disposed of the criminal end of the transaction, and only the civil action against Wayer and the company who acts as his bondsman remains. Homan is the one out of pocket and wants his losses made good.

WOODCHOPPER'S FATE.

VERDICT OF MANSLAUGHTER.

At a quarter after four o'clock yesterday afternoon Judge Smith finished his charge to the jury in the Margarito Rios murder trial, and they retired to consider their verdict. At 10 o'clock a return was made into court, and the verdict returned was manslaughter.

Despite the fact that a man's life hung in the balance the trial of the Mexican woodchopper, Margarito Rios, has been without interest. He deliberately stabbed Manuel Grijalva in the woodchopper's camp below Inglewood, during a fight precipitated by a cousin of the deceased, and in which he participated. Whether in so committed the act, as one set of witnesses showed, through jealousy at being displaced in the affections of Catarina Lopez by the man he murdered, or whether he acted in self-defense, as another set of witnesses testified, amounted to very little in arousing interest in a drunken row that ended in a Mexican being killed. In any event the jury in returning a verdict of guilty accepted the testimony of the witnesses who swore that Rios had returned to the camp after being dismissed by his inamorata, successor in the girl's affections.

VOTING MACHINES.

ONE ORDERED FOR WHITTIER.

The Finance Committee of the City Council failed to show up at the Courthouse yesterday afternoon, that being the time set for a joint meeting with the Board of Supervisors to discuss the merits of the two voting machines inspected, and arrive at a decision on the number of machines to be ordered.

The meeting was called specially, but the Finance Committee failing to attend was continued until next Tuesday afternoon, when the subject will be taken up at the tag end of the business incident to that ordinary meeting day of the Board of Supervisors.

Two Whittier trustees were present yesterday, and it was decided to place an order for one United States Standard machine, the expense to be shared equally by the city of Whittier and county. The machine ordered is to be a fifty-key machine, and will cost $700.

IN HER RIGHT MIND.

JENNIE DUNHAM RELEASED.

When Mrs. Jennie Dunham jumped in her night clothes from the window of her apartment in a Hill-street residence she had a narrow escape for her life, but yesterday she was in Judge Wilbur's court looking well and apparently recovering.

At the time of Mrs. Dunham's sensational leap she was suffering from mental disturbance and since then has been under treatment at a private sanatorium. She was accompanied in court yesterday by Dr. Morrison, chief of the Santa Fé Railroad Company's medical staff, who said he thought Mrs. Dunham could, with the most perfect safety, be permitted to return to her home. As the patient is a personal friend whom he has known for many years he said he would himself see to it that Mrs. Dunham received the care and attention still necessary.

"MORTGAGE QUEEN."

CASE MAY BE DISMISSED.

The woman who won the record for plastering mortgages, one on top of the other on household furniture, and other personal effects, and who, when escape from the meshes of the law no longer seemed possible, skipped out, and even at the last moment perpetrated a fraud upon the ticket agent for the steamship company, is in critical health. It is quite within the bounds of possibility that Mrs. Margaret West will take her case to the court of last resort—that she will linger along, mayhap, but that her days are numbered.

Yesterday her case was called in Judge Smith's department, and her attorney, Clifton Axtell, said it had been arranged with the District Attorney that the case be continued.

"She will never be able to come into court, Your Honor," said Axtell, and without further explanation the case went over.

Mrs. West has seven or eight charges pending against her, and if it became necessary to dig up more they would be forthcoming. She was a wonder in the line of chattel mortgages. When arrested in San Francisco and returned to this city, Mrs. West began to lose courage, and soon was sick. For some time she has been in the County Hospital, and her case has been continued. It is now on the tapis that the charge against her may be dismissed.

MEMORY A BLANK.

C. A. SHATTUCK COMMITTED.

Bereft absolutely of all memory regarding present as well as past events, C. A. Shattuck yesterday afforded one of the most curious cases of mental disturbance and instability recently before the court. He has been in this city only two months, having come from Fresno. Though his wife of twenty-two years sat at his side, Shattuck failed to recognize her, or even remember that he was married—until the idea was put into his head.

"Don't you know that this is your wife?" inquired Judge Wilbur of Shattuck, indicating Mrs. Shattuck with his hand.

Shattuck, turned to his wife and gazed at her so far as politeness would permit, and then answered in the negative. Being asked if he had not been married for twenty-two years he raised his hand to his brow as if to concentrate his thoughts, and as if a strange idea had been presented to him. But he failed to remember. One of the medical commission asked his name, and it was rather pitiful to see the effort the man made to remember. He appeared to realize that there was something almost foolish in such a failure of memory, and he contracted his brows and thought—but it was of no avail. He said he didn't know.

Shattuck has been interested in real estate to some extent, and in mining property, but from what came out at the examination he is largely dependent upon his father in the East who is possessed of some means.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

DEPUE DIVORCE. J. E. Depue has begun suit for divorce against Mrs. Grace M. Depue, on the ground of desertion.

BALLERINO'S APPEAL. Maj. Horace Bell appeared before Judge Smith yesterday to ask that the case against Bartolo Ballerino be dismissed on the brief he had filed. Counsel said it was voluminous, consisting of 150 pages of typewritten matter, and 161 assignments of error. All of these Bell contended were good save two, and the only thing that the prosecution had shown was that Ballerino grew flowers on his property. The time allowed for the other side to file its brief had expired and Bell asked that the case be dismissed. It was taken under consideration by the court.

CYANIDING PLANT. The Alvarado Placer Cyaniding Syndicate was incorporated yesterday with a capital stock of $100,000, all subscribed. The directors are J. B. Cook, E. L. Kornfeld, G. Graner, S. L. Whaley and Sol Davis, all of Los Angeles.

CHURCH INCORPORATES. The First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Whittier has incorporated without capital stock. The trustees are William C. Moore, Louise Esputt and H. W. R. Strong.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

LUM WY COULD SABE ENGLISH.

BEAT HIS HORSE WITH A TREE TO MAKE HIM GOOD.

More Most Embalmers Caught in Meshes of the Law—Question of Whether Theater is a Theater. "Mysterious Blonde" Goes Free. Case of Williams Postponed.

"Lum Wy he say lie.

Lum Wy was yesterday before Justice Austin, charged with cruelty to animals for beating a horse with a limb of a tree twelve feet long and nearly two inches in diameter.

The tricky Chinaman who talked through Interpreter Saunders, avoided direct answers to questions about the "big stick." He said it wasn't his; that he'd like to know how a man could beat a horse with a stick like that; and that a man would be a fool to beat a horse with such a thing.

"But didn't you tell this man here that you did beat the horse with that club?" asked Attorney Rogers.

"I know that man; I'd be a fool to tell him that," said the Chinaman.

"But didn't you tell him that?"

"Lie, lie," yelled Lum, with well-feigned indignation, without waiting for the interpreter.

The evidence showed that Lum had tied his horse to a tree and beat him with the club twelve fet long, which was in the courtroom as evidence. Two men saw him do it, and when they took him to task he said:

"Him horse no work; beat him little make him good horse; little stick he much breakee; use big one."

He then untied the horse from the tree and again hitched him to a plow and attempted to make the miserable brute work. Blood was running from one nostril, though on account of the thickness of the club the horse showed no abrasions of the skin from the beating. Lum later acknowledged to Officer Carpenter that he had beaten the animal with the "big stick," but gave as a reason that the horse was "heap lazy—he no work."

The weight given by Justice Austin to the evidence of two white men who appeared as witnesses and attempted to defend the Chinaman must still cause their ears to burn. Lum was fined $25. He dug up $20 and got his landlord to put up the other $5.

MEAT EMBALMERS.

TWO MORE ARE FINED.

Meat purveyors are still failing by the wayside for persisting in selling meat doped with preservatives. Meat Inspector Hughes is hot on their trail and drops in on them when they least expect it. Yesterday P. F. Webber and Y. Horio were before Justice Austin to answer the charge and pleaded guilty. The justice raised the fine a notch for the first offenders and fined each o fthe men $40, which they paid.

The Health Department is determined to do all in its power to put a stop to the practice, and it is a wonder that the men who sell meat do not take warning, as the examples have been many. There has been less trouble with the adulteration of milk since one of the offenders was fined $50, though it has by no means ceased. An example of the same kind may befall an unfortunate butcher one of these days.

Is the Lyric a Theater.

The case of H. W. Oviatt, proprietor of the Lyric Theater, who is charged with evading the city license, yesterday went over for two weeks, the entire matter to be submitted to Justice Chambers on briefs in the meantime. Oviatt now pays a license of $25 a quarter for showing moving pictures, but it is claimed that he also has other features which make his place clearly subject to the regular theater license, which is on a sliding scale, but would probably double the amount paid by the Lyric.

Exit Mysterious Blonde.

The handsome young woman, supposed to be a pickpocket, and who gave the name of Jamie Mills to the police, was yesterday discharged from custody, on motion of Assistant District Attorney Keyes. The fair-haired one appeared in Justice Austin's court richly dressed and arrayed in a steel-colored satin wrap that covered her all over, and as self-possessed as if she were in her mother's parlor. It was not possible to make a case against her because Peterson, the man whose purse was taken and afterward recovered by himself, disappeared and could not be found, and there was competent evidence. The police would be glad if there were a way of prosecuting Peterson for sneaking off or "selling out," as he is hinted to have done. The woman's identity never has been established.

Big Money from Courts.

The two city Police Courts yesterday rounded up their month's business, and the clerks wrote their checks for large amounts, payable to the City Treasury. They show the largest returns ever made for a single month in the history of the Police Court. Clerk W. W. Stockwell of Justice Austin's court turned in $2375, and David Martin, of Justice Chambers's court, wrote his check for $1575, a total of $3950—$429 above that of any previous month.

Briefs from Police Court.

H. A. Williams of Whittier, who was arrested for molesting Vada Watson, a respectable colored girl, on the street, was yesterday arraigned before Justice Austin on a charge of disturbing the peace. His hearing was set for Monday morning, and he was continued on $50 cash bail.

George H. Greenleaf was charged with failure to provide for his child, his wife swearing to the complaint. He asked for a jury and went to jail until April 14 to await trial, but he may be able to dig up $50 cash asked as bail. Greenleaf is a cement contractor living on Wall street.

John Rach, a Servian who has been working at day labor in this city nearly a year, was arrested while drunk on Wednesday night and found carrying a large revolver. He was sent below for twenty-five days.

John G. Haskins was arraigned for disturbing the peace, but if F. G. Burrel tells the truth Haskins had murder in his eye. He is said to have gone to Burrell's house with a gun because the latter ordered him off the premises, being suspicious of the intentions of Haskins toward the other man's wife. The facts will be heard today.

TALKS WITH TRAVELERS.

"Eli Perkins—at large" was the first entry made yesterday morning on the register at the Angelus—an entry that veils the identity of Melville D. Landon and suggests a mirth-provoking career covering a goodly portion of a half-century.

"Eli" is here for rest, recreation and revenge. His revenge will be visited upon the faculty and students of Pomona College Monday evening for having challenged him to a lecture on "The Philosophy of Wit and Humor and Stories Around the Store."

There has always been but one "Eli"—there never can be another. Contemporaneous with him have been Mark Twain, Nasby, Josh Billings, Bill Nye, Burdette and Artemus Ward, but all have "passed" except "Eli" and Burdette. "Mark" has become venerable and has retired; Burdette has become more serious and joined the ministry.

Yesterday in talking with a Times' reporter the humorous vein that has made "Eli's" name familiar to millions marked every utterance and the same flow of wit that has characterized him as a charming conversationalist gave no evidence of decline.

The secret of it all is that Eli Perkins keeps in touch with the world at every point. He refuses to grow old. "I spend my days," said the humorist, "in poking about the world trying to uncover something new. In this way I find sufficient to keep my pen buoyant and my thought fresh."

Asked for an expression upon political topics "Eli" fenced a bit. "There's too much at stake," said he. "Do you for a moment suppose I would tempt the fates by risking a hard-earned position to the effervescent expression of a newspaper reporter? I would want to weigh every utterance, read the copy, revise the proof, stand over the make-up man with a club and even then I would pull the paper in from the front porch with fear and trembling as to the result."

It was suggested that he venture a written statement. "Not for me," said the lecturer, "the only thing I am writing now is my press notices. It is so much more satisfactory than entrusting their production to critics. Let's talk about eggs."

At the first suggestion, the connection between eggs and political conditions was not plain, but when the humorist referred to decayed eggs, light began to dawn. The humorous feature of the suggestion, however, lay in the fact that "Eli" was serious. "Whenever a statement in regard to certain conditions or practices strikes me as unreasonable, I immediately investigate. Recently I was told that the Chinese preferred decayed hen fruit—that rather than eat fresh eggs the practice was to bury them in earth until they became odoriferous, and then they were ready for the table. I found a Chinaman with a buried box of eggs. I tried a couple of them, and no finer was ever picked from a nest. Later I discovered the Chinese have a secret that is of value. If, when eggs are 5 cents per dozen, the thrifty rancher will cache them until they are worth 5 cents each, when they are dug up they will be found just as good as though freshly laid. This may be a homely find, but it will illustrate how I am daily adding to my store—finding something to write about, something to talk about and pass on to others.

"One word I will venture relative to questions of the hour, and of a political complexion. That is those of us who are loyal Americans cannot too highly commend President Roosevelt. We do not fully appreciate his worth. Let us arraign the Presidents of the past. What did Jackson ever do that characterizes him as peculiar and behind the times? Nothing. Jefferson bought Louisiana, but what else? Nothing. Washington? President twice. Lincoln? Freed 7,000,000 slaves and his Secretary of State bought Alaska for $7,200,000. And Roosevelt? He gives us the Panama Canal—a fact that is to revolutionize the traffic of the world. Roosevelt jumped in with his impetuous spirit and with one dash landed the canal. We do not half appreciate the man.

"Is that politics? Well that's all you'll get," said Eli, "but if you will be good I'll give you something worth reporting before I leave town. I have been driving about your city today. I am amazed at the marvelous growth since I was here last. This is truly a city of homes. Men from the north are here making their homes as well as people from the East, bringing to this center wealth and solidity. As I look into your future, having in mind that the short line from Ogden and Salt Lake will here terminate, I cannot see a limit to the possibilities of development and expansion, even to the oceanside."

Notice to Architects.

The Board of Trustees of the Hollywood Union High School District, hereby invite competitive plans for a two-story and basement brick union high school building, to cost fifty thousand dollars ($50,000.00). All plans must be in the hands of the undersigned not later than 12 o'clock p. m., April 25, 1904, at the Union High School Building at Hollywood, Cal. Further information may be had by addressing the undersigned.

The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all plans offered, and to pay for only such as shall be accepted by them.

P. M. CHAFFEE, Clerk.

On behalf of the Board.

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Misses' Vici kid, patent tip, lace or button, all sizes, 11 to 2. Blair price $2.50. Sale price $1.65

Stock No. 1153
Ladies' kid Oxfords, patent tip, regular heel. A to E, all sizes. Blair's price $2.00. Sale price $1.25

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FOURTH AND BROADWAY.

CARS LOADED BOTH WAYS.

Orange Grower Contradicts Railroad Statement.

Says Carrying Service is Not What Was Promised.

Fruit Man Gives Reasons for Kinney's Zeal.

Many of the growers are freely expressing their opinions to the representative of The Times commissioned to inquire into the present depressed condition of the orange industry. Yesterday's contributions were some of them of a particularly pertinent character. Blame is laid on the railroads for slow service in transportation of the fruit and many points are developed tending to throw light on the situation.

On the way into Los Angeles from Riverside on Wednesday the Times reporter who is seeking information on the situation on marketing oranges, met on the train a Rialto orange grower who was as cheerful under the circumstances as a veritable Mark Tapley. He said in substance: "I am too young a man and too small in the orange-growing world to appear by name in print, but we are not feeling so very sick at Rialto. For holiday fruit we got 2 cents per pound net, or say, $1.35 per box. For the December pool later, 1⅞ cents, or about $1.05 per box, and for shipments since January 1 we expect to realize 1 cent, or 70 cents per box."

This was indeed refreshing, after the gloomy views taken as a rule. It was therefore but a natural thing that the news seeker should pay a visit to Rialto. He did so yesterday.

Before going into the market situation a word about Rialto may not be amiss. A Los Angeles real estate man a few days ago wrote to a Rialto man a letter making these inquiries: "Where is Rialto and how can I get there?" Rialto lies between Ontario and San Bernardino on the Santa Fé, fifty-five miles east of Los Angeles and five miles west of San Bernardino. Fifteen years ago it was all sage brush and a lair for jack rabbits. Today there are 2500 acres of citrus fruits in the colony and 3000 more in the Burlington district lying between the Santa Fé and the Southern Pacific. The principal avenue is a northerly extension of the famous Magnolia avenue at Riverside. From the mouth of the cañon at the foot of the mountains on the north to the end of Magnolia avenue at Arlington is a distance of fully twenty miles.

The soil at Rialto is of a light but rich texture, making an ideal home for citrus fruit. The water for Rialto comes in most abundant volume from Lytle Creek, and for the Burlington district from wells at the mouth of the cañon north of Rialto. Smudging and fumigating are unknown in that vicinity. The two districts produce this year about 650 carloads of oranges and 150 of lemons. The product is free from smut, smooth-skinned and of that rich, sweet flavor which characterizes all the high foothill fruit grown on light porous soils, under careful cultivation with sufficient irrigation and fertilization. The orchards at Rialto all show that they are intelligently cared for with the exception of a few owned by non-residents, and in the hands of men in some cases none too conscientious.

RIALTO MAN'S VIEWS.

Judge A. L. Wright owns sixty-nine acres of citrus orchard there. He has owned it since 1887, and spends much of his time there, although his family lives in Los Angeles. About half the crop in the colony generally has been marketed at good prices for holiday fruit, with the expectation of getting at least 50 cents per box for a pool of January, February and March packing. The California Fruit Agency markets most of the crop. The Rialto fruit has been of rare excellence this years, as it has left that place. Judge Wright entertains the general view that bad weather East has been a large factor in producing the poor results. But he concedes that there has been too much friction between the merger and the independents. The merger agents at the least, he thinks, have in some cases tried too much coercion on the dealers, and the American spirit will not endure much of this. They will not be dictated to as to whom they shall buy from.

The selection of Eastern agents is beyond the reach of the growers. A large part of the citrus fruit growers of San Bernardino county are in the merger. They have one director in the Southern California Fruit Exchange. He is one out of sixteen. No matter how good a man he may be, he knows nothing, he can know nothing of those selected as Eastern agents, as he never goes East. They assume that it is all right.

The California Citrus Union gets 25½ cents for packing, shipping and selling the fruit. The cost of this service is 21 to 30 cents.

At eastern points in large centers no doubt competent men are employed, but in some cases at small places inexperienced men may be put in charge. Some such men have been sent from California. This is detrimental.

The growers' idea is to eliminate all middlemen and get to the consumer direct. This is difficult, if not impossible. Auction sales in California, if such a thing is possible, would be the ideal plan. It is a new idea to most growers, and should be thought out carefully.

Nothing can be done this season but go on with the plan now in operation. As to the future, it is too soon to come to any definite conclusion. The problem is simple to look at. It is to get the crop perfectly distributed without competing with itself. That is what some one has to work out.

ANOTHER COMBINE MAN.

W. P. Martin is the president of the Rialto Fruit Association, which is affiliated with the California Citrus Union. The holiday pool brought the growers $1.16 per box, the December pool 85 cents, and three months' pool since January 1 is not worked out, but hopes are entertained of good results.

Besides the terrible effects of the cold weather the sharp competition between the merger fruit and that of the independents demoralized the markets. Mr. Martin thinks there is all of 20 per cent. of the crop, or say 4000 carloads, outside the control of the merger. A very large proportion of this went to market in January and February. So far as the Rialto district is concerned, the fruit sold, through the merger has brought better prices than that shipped through independent sources. The fruit was handled mostly in New York, and did not average 35 to 37½ cents for the three grades. Some standard fruit sold as low as 27½ cents for the independent shippers.

Mr. Martin took cognisance of the New York letter in The Times yesterday. As to the independent sales averaging higher on the total sales of three grades his contention is that the merger handles 80 per cent. of the fruit in the Coast counties and that from low ground, while the independents handle more than 20 per cent. of the choice fruit. This raises the general average of the independents and lower that of the combine. The fairest comparison is to match grade with grade and brand with brand, where this is possible. Mr. Martin said:

"I would rather throw bouquets at my neighbors than brickbats; but we do claim to produce cleaner, sweeter, in all respects finer fruit on these upland orchards than that grown on low ground, on heavy soil.

The real way to sell the crop is to have all the oranges in one combine. It might be a good thing to try to sell by auction here in California. At least, the fruit would be more under the immediate control of those who own it. If too much were offered one day, picking could stop at once, and thus the supply would be more regular. Mr. Martin was formerly in the cattle business in Kansas. The buyers tried to beat down the price of cattle and the cattlemen tried selling near the range. It worked well.

As to the cars furnished by the railroads and the car lines, Mr. Martin thinks they are as good as formerly. They are as good as we know how to make. The fact is, most unusual conditions were met with in the weather East, and business does not provide against the unusual, not merely against the ordinary.

A GREAT PUZZLE.

J. C. Boyd, an orange grower and principal of the Rialto school, remarked that there is not more fruit going out now than went out a year ago, yet prices are still poor. The fruit is excellent and that on the market now is in perfect condition, yet prices remain low. It is time the poor stock was out of the way. Why are the prices poor? Nothing can be done this year, so it is useless to speculate. As to the future, it is best to wait awhile. As to auctions here on the ground, it might be well to give them a trial.

THE INDEPENDENTS.

A. B. Liles has done much of the independent shipping for himself and some of his neighbors. This independent fruit was sold mostly on commission. For the three grades of excellent fruit there would come back an average of 35 to 40 cents per box. Mr. Liles sees there is something radically amiss, but confesses it is beyond anyone he has met to say who is to blame. Nearly all the independent fruit in this district has been sold.

It is well known that the growers here were among the very last to go into the merger. They are an intelligent class of men, without preconceived notions or prejudices. Their minds are wide open to receive new views on the situation, and they stand ready to adopt what may seem to be best. But they recognize the wisdom of waiting patiently until they see what the rest of the season may do.

FEAR TO TALK.

The reporter in his rounds finds people who know things which they will not state for publication. If their opinions are given anonymously they are content. So anxious are they not to be discovered that their views sometimes have to be held back a few days lest the statements should be traced to their doors.

One such said a short time ago: "I do not want to be quoted. I avoid notoriety. But I will tell you what it is. Dame Providence is to blame, and nothing more. For seventy years no such weather has been known at the East. No car could be built that would protect fruit against such weather. The cars are all right. The new Santa Fé and Armour cars are as near perfect as they can be now.

SLOW SERVICE.

"I have said that much for the railroad and car lines; let me say this: They ought to give a good deal better service. We were promised solid trains from Colton with no stops. Well, we do not get them. They haul a bunch of cars to Yuma and drop them there to take up a bunch that has been blistering there for days. If we could get a service of six or seven days to Argentine, seven or eight to Chicago, and ten or twelve to Atlantic Coast cities, we would not complain. We are entitled to this. We do not get it. The time is eight or nine days to Argentine, ten or twelve to Chicago, and as high as twenty to Atlantic ports. These cars are not kept moving. They stand on the track somewhere under weather that is freezing or blistering, and reach their destination with their contents in very bad condition.

CAN'T STOP POOR FRUIT.

"No, you can't stop the shipping of poor fruit any more than you can stop the sale of poor wheat. It is human nature to try to get what one can on your goods. The grower has a mortgage, perhaps two, on his orchard. He has spent $50 an acre on his grove during the year. He has a wife and six or more children. His bank book shows an overdraft. He will sell his fruit if it is a little nipped.

"As to glutted markets, I just say this: The shipments struck bad weather, worse than usual. We shippers saw we were in for it on what was on the way. Did we expect these unusual conditions to last? Would you? No. We thought the next shipments would meet normal conditions. No, the longer abnormal conditions last, the less likely they are to last. We shipped too freely. But no foresight was keen enough to prevent that. There are 8000 carloads of navels on the trees and Friday is April 1. They are dropping fast. Now, let me tell you. I am selling new arrivals at eastern points at $400, $450 and $500 per carload right now.

CAN'T GET CARS.

"I am anxious now to ship good fruit, but I cannot get the cars. Yes, that is right. The rain stopped picking and we have cars for the present moment. But wait until it clears and we get to work again. In two days we will not have enough cars. No, it is not because the cars are piled up in the East because of the slow markets. It is because the railroads load their cars back, and they are delayed on the way. In one breath the roads say they cannot haul oranges below $1.25 per 100 pounds because they have to haul the cars back empty. In the next they tell us we can't have a car until it is unloaded of the shucks it brings in from Arizona, where it unloaded some other freight before taking on the shucks.

"The future? Now, I will tell you. If the rest of the season is good the growers will forget their troubles and all will be serene. If the rest of the season shows bad prices, I do not know what will happen. I am afraid the organization may go to pieces, and it will be years before another is formed. That will be bad. Time will tell.

"Yes, I know better than you of the discontent and kicking. I know there are suspicions and whisperings. I am not knocking, but we all know Naftzger made a colossal mistake when he went into that combine. It was most unfortunate when he refused to tell E. T. Earl whether the grower got all the rebates. I do not know what will come out of it.

SAYS KINNEY WILL FAIL.

"I do not believe Naftzger can live down their suspicions. That is unfortunate. I do know one thing. When Abbot Kinney comes before the Semi-Tropic Fruit Association, he will fail to make good his charges in any particular. Don't you newspaper men know what Kinney is up to? No? Well you do not see far. He is after the Democratic nomination for Congress, and he is trying to make a little political capital among the orange growers by this campaign. I hope you will be present when the Semi-Tropic Association investigates Naftzger, and gets Kinney to tell what he suspects but does not know and cannot prove."

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DEATH OF MRS. MUDGE, STRONG W.R.C. WORKER.

Charter Member of the Great Women's Auxiliary of the Grand Army of the Republic Passes Out at Highland Park—Twenty-eight Years in Southern California.

Mrs. Sarah Jane Ashley Mudge, wife of Col. Melvin Mudge, died yesterday morning at her home in Highland Park, No. 209 East Avenue 52, after an illness of a year and a half.

In the death of Mrs. Mudge the worthy poor lost a warm friend, and the community a woman of deep patriotism, devoted to the work of the Woman's Relief Corps, and the welfare of the community which surrounded her, while the husband lost a loving companion of many years.

Mrs. Mudge was born in Canandaigua, Mich., the daughter of George Douglas Ashley, and was a member of one of the old American families which traces its history back to the Revolutionary period.

MRS. SARAH ASHLEY MUDGE.

Her early life was spent in Michigan, and on January 18, 1865, she married Col. Mudge, who had just been mustered out of the Union Army. To them were born three children, all of whom died in early life.

Mrs. Mudge imbibed the patriotism which had always been a marked feature of the Ashley family, and was one of the charter members at the organization of the Woman's Relief Corps. Since that time she has always been active in this work.

Col. and Mrs. Mudge came to California twenty-eight years ago and first made their home at Compton. There she organized the Shiloh Woman's Relief Corps, No. 47, and was its president for five years.

This couple removed to Highland Park eleven years ago, and Col. Mudge built the residence on Avenue 52, where Mrs. Mudge's death occurred. She was devotedly attached to this home, and rejoiced to see her fond expectations for Highland Park in course of realization.

Upon removing to Los Angeles Mrs. Mudge at once affiliated with the Stanton Relief Corps. At one time she was a prominent candidate for the position of Department President of the Department of California and Nevada. She also served one term as the president of the Veteran's Association, while her husband was the commander of the G.A.R. association.

Mrs. Mudge was a capable woman, with much natural ability as a leader, and she exerted a wide influence in Los Angeles and vicinity, notwithstanding her unostentatious manner. She was interested in many charities, and the poor held a very tender place in her heart.

She was the last surviving member of the Ashley family. Besides her husband she leaves two cousins, Charles A. Kinney of this city, and Mrs. Lou Wheat, of Lincoln Park.

The funeral services will be conducted by the Stanton Relief Corps at 2 o'clock Saturday, at the residence. It is planned to hold the service on the beautiful lawn in front of the house, a spot that gave great pleasure to the invalid during her almost two years of illness. The full ritualistic service of the corps will be used, and Col. Mudge will speak of the life of his companion. The interment will be in Evergreen Cemetery.

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Men's vici kid lace shoes, Goodyear welted soles, good medium toes, all sizes and widths. Hamilton & Baker's price $3.50; sale price $2.45

Men's velour calf Oxfords, welted soles, good styles, all sizes; Hamilton & Baker's price $3.00; sale price $1.95

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EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

SOME time ago it was announced that a few of the débutantes were planning a dance immediately after Lent. The names of the girls interested have not as yet been given, but they are among the prettiest and most popular of the season's fair buds. They are Miss Eva Prewitt, Miss Katherine Ridgeway and Miss Constance Carvell, whose pictures are shown on this page. The dance is to be given at the Country Club on April 12, and promises to be one of the delightful affairs among

the younger crowd who are looking forward to it with much anticipation. Miss Prewitt has been among the most entertained buds, and has gained great popularity, both with the older and the younger set. Miss Katherine Ridgeway is a sister of that clever and beautiful girl, Miss May, and the possessor of a fine contralto voice. Miss Constance Carvell is a most stunning and attractive girl, and in the hands of these three young women surely we may look for something good and novel in the way of entertaining.

Entertained Informally.

Miss Florence Hopper of West Thirty-third street was the hostess last evening at an informal card party. The house was made bright with cut flowers and ferns, and pretty prizes were awarded. Those present were Miss Shirley Jenkins, Miss Alice Gwynne, Miss Beesie Allen, Miss Lucile Walton, Miss Mae Prentiss, Miss Alice Ammerman, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Braden, Frank Alexander, Raymond Bradford, Harry Jack, Charlie Hopper and Roy Naftzger.

Pretty Home Affair.

Last evening at 8 o'clock a wedding was solemnized at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. Hiram S. Thompson, No. 813 South Grand avenue, the contracting parties being Miss Bessie Agnes Hardy of Chicago, and Charles Cathcart Thompson. Dr. Wilkins of St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral performed the ceremony. This marriage was the result of a romance which has not been of very long duration, as six months ago Miss Hardy came here from Chicago in quest of health, and in that time met Mr. Thompson, who fell in love with the pretty damsel. Miss Hardy is a striking blonde of the tall, willowy type, and does not now look as if she needed any tonics.

The ceremony was performed in front of a bank of palms, with orange blossoms and smilax draped to form a canopy over their heads. The bride wore a handsome dress of pearl white novelty grenadine, made en traine, with a yoke and trimmings of real lace, and a high girdle of white silk. She carried a shower bouquet of white bride roses. Her bridesmaid was Miss Elizabeth Thompson, a pretty girl with bright color, and she wore a gown of filmy white organdy, and carried white carnations. The groom was attended by Clarence Hopkins, and during the ceremony Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" was rendered by Miss Claire Northrup.

After the ceremony a reception was held, and the newly-married couple was assisted in receiving by the groom's mother, Mrs. Hiram Thompson; Miss Florence Munson and Miss Elizabeth Colburn of Detroit, Mich. Miss Marie Hart served punch in the dining-room, which was decorated in pink and green. Smilax was festooned from the chandeliers to the corners of the table, and over the lace curtains smilax fell in long strands. A high vase of pink carnations formed a centerpiece on the table, and bows of pink tulle were used effectively. Low bowls filled with fragrant carnations were placed about the room, giving a bright touch of color.

Following the reception the bride and groom left on a short wedding trip, after which they will make their home at No. 820 South Grand avenue.

For Miss Brotherton.

Mrs. E. R. Kellam gave a most delightful luncheon yesterday at the Country Club in honor of Miss Myrtle Brotherton, one of our most popular brides-to-be. The table was made beautiful with dear little baskets of forget-me-nots and pink bridesmaid roses tied with great bows of white tulle, and favors at each place carried out the blue of the forget-me-nots, with tiny Venetian mosaic frames. There were twelve guests entertained, and the affair was a most charming one in all respects.

Complimentary Luncheon.

Mrs. Pheron Nichols of Hotel Lincoln entertained with a luncheon yesterday at Hotel Hollywood complimentary to her sister, Mrs. Herman Bleyer of Milwaukee. Besides the hostess and guest of honor, covers were laid for Mrs. W. W. Neuer, Mrs. J. C. Hutchinson, Mrs. Frank Gordon, Mrs. Jesse Meyers, Mrs. Willis Newton, Mrs. G. W. Gates of Johnstown, Pa., and Miss Persis Tyler. Mrs. Bleyer is a relative of Mrs. W. W. Neuer, and also of Mrs. J. W. Hutchinson, and in her honor Mrs. Neuer gave a luncheon on Saturday, and on Wednesday Mrs. Hutchinson also gave a pretty lunch.

Covers for Eight.

Mrs. T. D. Connelly of West Twenty-eighth street had a few guests at luncheon yesterday, and in their honor the table was made bright with jonquils and asparagus ferns, and the places were marked with hand-painted jonquils. The party was taken to Ascot Park for the races in the afternoon.

Musical Evening.

Mrs. Arthur Letts of No. 675 Rampart street was the hostess last night at a little informal affair given in honor of Peje Storck and Herbert Richie. These two well-known musicians rendered some much appreciated music, and later dainty refreshments were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Lacey, Jr., Mrs. Charles Wellington Rand, Mrs. William Goodman, Mrs. Dickenson of Chicago, Miss Ada Letts and Boris de Londonier of Russia.

Ebell Club Board.

Mrs. Roscoe B. Ashley of No. 730 West Sixteenth street entertained at luncheon yesterday the members of the Ebell Club board, and after luncheon the regular meeting of the board was held. Mrs. Ashley was assisted by her daughter Mrs. Chester C. Ashley.

Picnic at Garvanza.

A number of young girls enjoyed a picnic among the poppy fields of Garvanza yesterday. They were Misses Elsie Coulson, Alma Ditch, Nadine Paulin, Mary Johnstone and Nellie Taylor.

Close of Art Exhibit.

Paul de Longpré closed his exhibition of flower paintings yesterday. This is one of the most successful displays ever given in Southern California. The art pictures that were sold, strange to say, were mostly carried away by eastern visitors, though perhaps the reason of this is that California is so prolific of the real flowers that the people do not so much appreciate the wonderful art of this French painter. During the exhibition more than 3000 persons visited the studio.

Returned from Riverside.

Maj. and Mrs. Arthur White of Sheboygan returned yesterday from Riverside, where they went a few days ago in their automobile. They took with them as their guests Mrs. Arthur Guyet, Mrs. Elmer Barbet, Miss Irene Moore and Miss Emily Hunt.

Notes and Personals.

Miss Laurie Hodge, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. H. E. Rogers of Buffalo, has returned to Los Angeles after nine months in Europe and the East, and is at present at No. 149 East Avenue 53.

J. L. Moyer is the guest of his sister and brother-in-law, Maj. and Mrs. Henry T. Lee of No. 414 West Adams street.

A marriage of interest which took place lately was that of Ruth J. Harris and E. A. Allen, teacher of mathematics in Occidental College. The couple will be at home to their friends at No. 121 Avenue 63.

Mrs. J. A. Fisher and daughter, Miss Katherine Fisher of Denver, are spending a few weeks at Santa Monica.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Gay spring costumes, rooms artistically decked in a wealth of yellow blossoms, tea gracefully poured from quaint silver pots, merry chat and gossip, beside the rarest programme given for many a day, distinguished the social afternoon of the Ruskin Art Club yesterday. Mrs. Bertha E. Jaques gave a deeply interesting talk on the making of an etching, from the skilled preparation of the copper plate, through the acid bath, which cuts fine or dim lines, according to the time of exposure, through the stage of inking and of going through the etcher's press, till the etching stands revealed, a thing of beauty if done by a master hand, and more nearly the autograph of the creator than any other form of artistic expression.

A number of Mrs. Jaques's etchings adorned the walls of the rooms and formed a center of attraction all afternoon, one delightful fact in regard to them being that beside their remarkable beauty of treatment, the etchings from the different parts of the United States were so characteristic that the locality could be told at a glance. A few exceptions to this were found in some beautiful bits from Chicago which Mrs. Jaques found in and about this commercial city, but which no one else would have discovered.

After the talk from Mrs. Jaques, the club had the rare pleasure of hearing Mrs. Mary H. Flanner give exquisite renditions of her own poems as well as other selections.

"The Sign of the Cleft Heart" was her initial piece, given with the quintessence of poetic grace, and this was followed by six dreamy, delicious lullaby themes of her own composition. "Rain Song" was given, the closing verse being:

"Bi-me bye, baby bye:
Out from the drowsy sky
Slowly the showers sift down.
Each little drop, cleft clear
Holds rainbow dreams, my dear,
List: some are falling near—
Close thine eyes brown."

"Bereft" was the second theme; "Christmas Eve Lullaby" was another, "Betrayed," "Baby's Lullaby" and "Sea Shells" were the others, and they left the sweet impression of having been inspired by the lullabies sung to her own little ones. "Dig Dem Daniine Greens" and another darky representation dnished the programme.

Among the guests during the afternoon were Mrs. Alfred Carr and Mrs. O'Reilly of St. Louis, Countess De Blumenthal, who showed an interesting display of lace work made by the Russian peasant women, and Miss Marthine M. Dietrichson, a European concert singer, who is known as an interpreter of Norwegian folk-lore songs.

Mrs. A. S. C. Forbes and Mrs. Alexander Caldwell presided over the tea tables. Mrs. Hendrick, assisted by Miss Lethea Lewis, received the guests.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

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FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings today were $909,631.91, against $1,205,-618.91 for the corresponding day in 1903, and $717,743.28 for the same day in 1902.

TREASURY GAINS. There has been a gradual improvement in the position of the treasury thus far during the month of March, and it is likely that the balance on the side of income will be somewhat larger at the close of the month than at the end of February. On Thursday the month's receipts were over $1,890,000 ahead of the expenditures, and for the portion of the fiscal year that had elapsed, covering nearly nine months, the excess of income was over $6,700,000. There are still three months of the fiscal year to run, and if the accounts should continue to make a showing similar to that made during February and March, the early treasury estimates of the result of the year's operations would be borne out. The matter is one in reference to which conjecture is difficult, but it may be worth noting that of late years the months of April and May have not been marked by deficits, and June has generally shown a larger than average excess of receipts over expenditures.—[Bradstreet's.

STOCKS AND BONDS. The Los Angeles Stock Exchange issues the following daily bulletin:

OIL.

Description—	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	$ .19	
Central	.62	$ .30
Columbia	[illegible]	
Continental	....	
Fullerton Oil	.30	.37
Globe	.06	
Home (Whittier)	....	2.00
Hercules Oil Ref. Co.	.05	
Mexican Petroleum	....	.20
Olinda Land Co.	.06	.32
Pira Oil & Land Co.	....	.04
Potomac (Pre.)	.04	.07
Reed Crude	1.55	1.75
Senator	....	
Turner	1.37	
Union	55.00	60.00
Union Con. Oil	....	.09½
Union Con. Ref. Co.	.07	.14
United Petroleum	75.00	85.00
Westlake	.02½	.03½
Whittier Con. Oil	.01	.02½
Western Union	....	95.00

BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	$78.00	
Bakersfield & K. R. Ry.	....	$102.00
Cal. Development	....	100.00
Cal. Dom. Water Co.	....	100.00
Cal. Pacific Ry.	....	102.00
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	....	100.00
Cal. Port. Cement Co. Con.	....	98.00
Corona Power & Water Co.	....	90.00
Edison Elec. Co. Con.	....	100.00
Edison Elec. Co. (old issue)	....	100.00
Home Telephone Co.	79.50	80.00
L. A. Pacific 1st Con. Mtge.	98.00	102.00
L. A. & Redondo Ry. Co.	....	102.00
Mission Trans. & T. Co.	....	100.00
Pacific Light & P. Co.	90.00	100.00
Pacific Electric Ry.	100.00	103.00
Pasadena Con. Water Co.	....	100.00
Seaside Water Co.	....	100.00
Terminal Water Co.	100.00	
United Elec. G. & P. Co.	95.00	102.00

MINING.

Description—	Bid.	Asked.
American G. & C.	$ .06	
Bisbee Belle Copper	....	$ .04½
Bisbee West Copper	.10	.12
Black Hills Copper	....	.12
Bright Lode	25.00	32.00
Bula M. & M. Co.	....	75.00
Chloride G. M. Co.	....	.40
Copper Glance	....	
Exposed Treasure	.35	.37½
Golden Argus	....	17.00
Jesse Bell	.05½	.06½
Ludlow Bell	.10	.12
Mitchell Mining	4.00	4.75
New Era	.05	.08
Nevada-Keystone	....	.70
Nevada Chief	....	.12
Peninsula M. & S. Co.	....	.18
Quartette	35.00	37.00
Santa Ta M. Co.	.15	
Searchlight M. & M. Co.	.26	....
South Bisbee	.10	....
Verde King	.17½	.25
Wallapai	.01	....

BANKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	$109.50	$116.00
Broadway Bank & Trust	140.00	150.00
Central	180.00	200.00
Citizens' National	161.00	....
*Columbia Savings Bank	100.00	115.00
Commercial National	110.00	....
Dollar Savings Bank	112.00	....
Equitable Savings Bank	120.00	....
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	212.00	218.00
First National	330.00	....
German-American	320.00	....
Los Angeles National	192.00	193.00
Los Angeles Trust Co.	95.00	100.00
Merchants' National	250.00	....
National Bank of Cal.	125.00	....
Security Savings Bank	250.00	....
Southern Cal. Savings	225.00	....
Southwestern National	104.00	112.00
State Bank & Trust	101.00	105.00
Union Bank of Savings	101.00	....
First National, Pasadena	210.00	....
San Gabriel Val., Pasadena	200.00	....
Pasadena National	200.00	....

*50 per cent. paid up.

MISCELLANEOUS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	....	$ 70.00
Edison Electric pfd.	68.00	69.50
Edison Electric com.	28.00	30.00
Home Telephone	44.25	44.50
Home Trust	41.25	43.00
L. A. Jockey Club	96.00	....
L. A. Brewery	102.00	105.00
Merchants' Trust Co.	....	107.00
Sun Drug Co.	....	100.00
Emergency Hospital	....	50.00
Auto Vehicle Co.	....	....
California Hospital	135.00	....
Conservative Life Ins. Co.	145.00	....
Title G. & Trust pfd.	100.00	....

COMMERCIAL.

COFFEES. O. E. Lowe, Southern California agent for M. J. Brandenstein & Co., says: "The New York market on greens, No. 7 basis, has remained unchanged since our report of a week ago. The prices realized for actual deliveries of Maracaibos is really from 1 to 1½ cents below actual values. This seems to be a paradoxical position of the market, as these cupping goods are not in unusual supply. It would not be surprising if these coffees were to advance within the next thirty days to a point where buys on today's market would be considered as fortunate investments. The San Francisco quotations on Central Americans are firm for all old crops and new coffees have not yet arrived in sufficient volume to make any material difference in spot goods. I simply reiterate previous advices to the effect that coffees this season will not begin to be sold as low as they were last season.

NEW COTTON CROP. Special reports from the branch offices of R. G. Dun & Co. in the cotton belt are to the effect that an increased acreage is generally expected, ranging from a small amount to as high as 20 or 30 per cent. over that of last year. Purchases of fertilizers, farming implements and mules, have been large. In some localities labor is scarce and higher wages are being asked. All cities report largely reduced stocks of old cotton, compared with last year. In Texas an active educational campaign has been carried on to induce farmers to adopt scientific methods, and this has proven efficacious, even in the boll-weevil districts, and large quantities of seed have been brought from North Carolina and other Eastern States. The cotton area will be widened west and northwest and will show an increased acreage of 20 per cent., and the yield is expected to exceed that of any past year. In Northern Alabama and Northern Mississippi the increased acreage will be from one-fifth to one-third; in Tennessee, 20 per cent. is expected and from 10 to 20 per cent. in North Carolina. In most parts of Georgia the acreage will be much larger than last year, with an increase of fertilizer sales from 25 to 30 per cent. In Eastern Georgia fertilizer sales are about the same as last year, but sales of farming implements and mules have decreased. More cotton will be planted in Virginia than for several years. The increased acreage in South Carolina is estimated at 2 to 10 per cent., as fertilizer sales have increased 20 per cent. In Western Tennessee the conditions are reported very satisfactory. The farmers are in a good financial condition and the largest increase in acreage ever known is expected. The increased acreage in Southern Missouri and Northern Arkansas will be large.

CANNED ASPARAGUS. The disaster to the growing crop on Bouldin Island has scarcely been realized by the trade and prices are mounting, with very little first-class stock offered. It is said that one of the largest canneries will not put up a single can.

OLIVES. Last year's crop of olives has turned out to be less than early estimates. Hot winds and drought shortened the crop in some districts. Pickled stock is of better quality than last year's. There is a good demand for pickles, both bulk and canned.

California olive oil is making its way slowly into new markets and is moving fairly well.

CITRUS FRUITS. Orange shipments Wednesday were 141 cars. Lemons 22 cars, making the grand total for the season to date 13,696 cars.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Onions are coming in freely from the north and Nevada, and are selling readily at 4 cents for sound stock.

A car of Highland potatoes arrived today, which is said to have stood the purchaser at $1.25 f.o.b. Los Angeles. This is an advance of about 10 cents over prices that have prevailed.

The egg market is unchanged, with good demand. Receipts of local ranch were heavy today.

Butter is steady at quotations.

Local cheese is coming in very green, but is selling readily at above the price for better seasoned eastern.

Vegetables are unchanged.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per 2-lb. square, 50; valley creamery, 50; Coast creamery, 42½@45; dairy, 30@32½ per lb.; cooking, 16@18.

EGGS—Per doz., fancy fresh local ranch, candled, 21@22; do., case count, 19@20.

CHEESE—California, Anchor, per lb., 16; California, Young America, per lb., 17; California, 3-lb. hand, per lb., 18; northern, 12@13; cheddars, eastern, 15½; twins, 16½; singles, 16; Longhorn, 16½; domestic Swiss, per lb., 18; imported Swiss, per lb., 30; Edam, fancy, per doz., 9.50; Martin's New York cream, per lb., 15@16½; Wisconsin, full cream, per lb., Magnw, 16@16½; MacLaren's Red Rose, choice, 15½@16.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 4.30@5.00; northern, 5.00; eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 6.65; lower grades, 4.80@5.00; graham flour, 2.40@2.50 per cwt.

CORNMEAL—2.10@2.20.
ROLLED BARLEY—1.35.
CRACKED CORN—1.45.
BRAN—1.20.
FEED MEAL—1.50.

Live Stock.

Sugar.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks of 100 lbs. Bbls. cost 10c. ¼ bbls. 25c, boxes 50c and 50-lb. bags 20c per 100 lbs. more. Beet sugar, 5.55; cane sugar, 5.65; cube, 5.90; powdered, 5.75; confectioners' A, 5.65; extra C, 5.15; Golden C, 4.95; D, 4.55; Magnolia A, 5.25; tablets, ½ bbls., 6.15; boxes, 6.40.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS—Per box, choice to fancy, 1.25@1.50; green, 50@60.

ORANGES—Navels, 50@1.75; seedlings 50@1.00.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 1.00@1.75.
CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., 8.00@10.00.
LIMES—Per 100, 50@1.25.
COCOANUTS—Per doz., 75@1.00.
BANANAS—Per lb., 4½@4¾.
LOQUATS—Per crate, 75@1.00.
STRAWBERRIES—Per box, fancy, 15@20; common, 10@15.
APPLES—Per box, 1.25@2.00.
RHUBARB—2½@4.
PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 2.50.

Beans and Lentils.

BEANS—Pink, per cwt., 3.75@4.00; Lady Washington, 1.50@2.75; small white, 3.00@3.65; blackeye, 2.25@2.50; Limas, 3.75@4.25; Garbanzos, 4.00@4.50; field peas, 2.50; lentils, 4.00@5.50; horse beans, 2.50.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Salinas, 1.60@2.00; Highland, fancy, 1.50@1.60; do., choice, 1.40@1.50; Oregon, fancy, 1.65@1.75; Nevada Burbanks, 1.75@1.85.

ONIONS—Australian Brown, 2.75@3.00; Nevada, 2.75@4.00; Oregon, 2.75@3.75.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 75; cabbage, 1.50@2.00; carrots, 50 per cwt.; green chiles, 20 per lb.; dry chiles, per string, 40@50; lettuce, per sack, 15@20; parsnips, 50@1.00 per cwt.; peas, 6@7; radishes, per dozen bunches, 10; garlic, 6; watercress, 20 per dozen; spinach, 10 per dozen; tomatoes, 2.00 per box; string beans, 15 per lb.; turnips, 60@75; asparagus, 8½.

Dried Fruits, Nuts, Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 5½@6½; apricots, 6@10; peaches, fancy, 7½@8; choice, 6½@7; pears, fancy evaporated, 12; plums, pitted, 7@9; prunes, choice, 3@4; fancy, 6@9; dates, 4@5; new crop, 7@10; figs, sacks, California, white, per lb., 4@7; California, black, per lb., 4@4½; California, fancy layers, per lb., 6@7½; imported Smyrna, 14@16.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 2.25; London Layers, per box, 1.50@2.25; loose, 6½@7 per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 14.

NUTS—Almonds, paper-shell, 16; softshell, 14@15; hardshell, 10@12; Brazils, 13@14; filberts, 13@14; peanuts, raw, eastern, 7½; roasted, 9; California, choice raw, 5@5½; California, fancy raw, 6; California, roasted, 7@7½; walnuts, softshell, first grade, 13@14; hardshell, first grade, 10@10½; pinenuts, New Mexico, 5.

Honey and Beeswax.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 25@30.
HONEY—Per lb., in comb, frames, 12@14; extracted, 4@6.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 7¼@8.
VEAL—Per lb., 10@10½.
MUTTON—Per lb., 8@8½; lamb, 10.
PORK—Per lb., 8½@9.

Provisions.

LARD—Pure, per lb., Silver Leaf, tierces, 1¾; Comp. lard, tcs. bas., 8@9¼; suetene, 8¼; Rex, tierces, 9¼; White Label, tierces, 9¾.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 14½; California, 9½@10¼; Winchester, medium, 14½; do., small, 15; Premium, 15½; skinned, 15; Gold Band, 15¼; mild cured, 12½.

DRY SALT PORK—Per lb., clear bellies, 11½@12¼; short clears, 11¼@12¾; clear backs, 11@12¾.

DRIED BEEF—Insides, 15½@16½.
PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 27.00.
BACON—Per lb., Rex, breakfast, 16; Winchester, medium, 15½; light, 16; Empire, 16½; Premium, 19; Diamond C, 19; 49'er, 17½; Gold Band, 20½.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY—1.25.
OATS—1.60@1.65.
CORN—1.40.
WHEAT—1.70.
HAY—Barley, 12.00@16.00; alfalfa, 14.00@17.00; tame oat, 13.00@16.00; wheat, 13.00@16.00.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 14@17 per lb. for poultry; ducks, 12@15; for turkeys, 16@18; geese, 11@13. Selling prices are, per lb.: Old roosters, 12; old hens, 15@16; young roosters, 18@20; broilers, 4.00@5.00 per dozen; fryers, 5.00@6.00; turkeys, alive, per lb., 20@22; ducks, alive, 5.00@6.00; geese, 11@12.

Game.

RABBITS—Per doz., cottontails, 1.50@2.00; hares, 1.50@2.00; brush rabbits, 1.00@1.25.

WILD GEESE—Per doz., gray, 3.00@5.00; white, 2.00@2.50.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, March 31.—The suspension of two trust companies, one in Cleveland and one in Boston, had a somewhat chilling effect on speculation today. The tendency of tomorrow's Good Friday holiday was hailed as a motive for some curtailment of operations and today's Jewish holiday of the Passover was also the occasion of some absences from the Stock Exchange. These were the nominal causes of the decided falling-off in activity and the rather heavy tone of speculation. There were indications, however, that speculative sentiment was affected by some reaction from the strength of the early part of the week. The denials given to rumors of purchases of Union Pacific by St. Paul and to other reports which have circulated on the exchange were reinforced in their reactionary effect by the large distribution of stocks which was effected during the rise of yesterday and by the cessation of much of the demand today. The suspension of the trust companies seemed due to especial causes, rather than to any general conditions, and so were of little direct influence on the market. There were points of strength in the market, but they were exceptions rather than the rule. Interest grows in the foreign-exchange situation, and the coming outward movement of gold, which is expected to run to many millions of dollars, and in the opinion of some exchange experts, may reach the amount of the remittance to be made to Paris on account of the Panama Canal payment. It is believed that any accumulation of bills which may have been made for this purpose has been working off at the profitable rates ruling in the marks, so that provision for the purpose remains to be made. The exchange rate today was at the point where gold shipments would show a margin of profit, but owing to lack of shipping facilities, no gold is likely to go out until next week, when it is expected several millions will be shipped. The normal phase of money in New York is undoubtedly due in part to the accumulation here of government deposits in preparation of the Panama Canal payments. With conditions in the exchange market as at present, it is not probable that when the payment is made, the proceeds will remain in New York. The effect on the money market will be watched with interest. In Paris, Berlin and London, the quarterly requirements for April 1 are extraordinarily heavy, as revealed by this week's reports of the great foreign banks. But with the turn of the quarter, a large reflux of funds to the circulation, is looked for in money rates. The domestic movement of currency appears to be still in favor of New York, in spite of remittances of government deposits. United States Steel reacted under a more confident feeling over the preferred dividend. Covering of shorts rallied the market during the later part of the day, but the closing was heavy. Bonds were steady. Total sales (par value) $2,555,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing bid.
Atchison	33,400	72⅝	71½	72½
Atchison pfd	1,300	92	91⅞	91⅞
Baltimore & Ohio	8,300	80⅛	79⅝	79⅝
B. & O. pfd	....	....	....	88
Canadian Pacific	500	113⅛	113⅛	113⅛
Central of New Jersey	....	....	....	156
Chesapeake & Ohio	11,000	33⅞	32⅞	32⅞
Chicago & Alton	100	38⅛	38⅛	37
Chicago & Alton pfd	....	....	....	80½
Chicago & G. W.	300	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
Chicago & N. W.	100	170⅛	170⅛	171
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	12,800	145⅝	144	145
C., M. & St. P. pfd	100	175	175	174½
Chicago Ter. & Trans.	....	....	....	9½
Chicago T. & T. pfd	....	....	....	19
C., C., C. & St. Louis	....	....	....	72
Colorado Southern	100	16⅛	16⅛	16
Colo. So. 1st pfd	....	....	....	53½
Colo. So. 2nd pfd	300	23⅞	23⅞	22
Delaware & Hudson	300	152⅞	152	152½
Del., Lack. & Western	100	263½	263½	263½
Denver & Rio Grande	3,600	21⅞	21	21½
D. & R. G. pfd	200	70	69½	69½
Erie	5,300	26⅞	26	26½
Erie 1st pfd	200	64	63½	63⅝
Erie 2nd pfd	200	41	40⅝	40½
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	65
Hocking Valley pfd	....	....	....	78½
Illinois Central	200	129⅝	130	129
Iowa Central	....	....	....	18½
Iowa Central pfd	....	....	....	33
Kansas City Southern	....	....	....	18
K. C. Southern pfd	....	....	....	34½
Louisville & Nashville	7,000	108⅜	107⅞	108⅛
Manhattan L.	700	142	142⅞	142½
Metropolitan Securities	9,000	79⅞	78½	78⅞
Metropolitan St. Ry.	1,900	112⅝	111⅝	112⅛
Minn. & St. Louis	....	....	....	55
M., St. P. & S. Ste. M.	200	61⅞	61⅞	61
Minn., St. Paul pfd	500	119½	118½	119
Missouri Pacific	12,200	93⅞	92⅞	92⅞
Missouri, Kan. & Texas	100	17⅛	17⅛	17
M., K. & T. pfd	500	39½	38⅞	38⅞
Nat'l Ry. of Mex. pfd	....	....	....	38
New York Central	300	116⅞	116⅝	116
Norfolk & Western	200	56⅝	56⅛	56
N. & W. pfd	....	....	....	85
Ontario & Western	2,400	21⅞	21⅞	21½
Pennsylvania	10,200	115⅜	117⅛	115¼
P., C., C. & St. Louis	....	....	....	60
Reading	21,300	45⅞	44⅝	45
Reading 1st pfd	....	....	....	77
Reading 2nd pfd	200	60½	60½	60
Rock Island Co.	2,200	22	22⅞	22½
Rock Island Co. pfd	700	62⅞	62⅞	62½
St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd	200	46	46	46
St. Louis, S. W.	....	....	....	13½
St. L., S. W. pfd	....	....	....	32½
Southern Pacific	21,700	50⅞	49⅞	49⅞
Southern Railway	5,800	22⅞	21⅞	21⅞
Southern Railway pfd	800	84	84	84
Texas & Pacific	200	24⅞	24⅞	24
Toledo, St. L. & W.	100	23⅞	23⅞	21
T., St. L. & W. pfd	....	....	....	34½
Union Pacific	52,800	84⅞	83⅞	84
Union Pacific pfd	1,400	90	89⅝	89½
Wabash	300	19⅝	19⅝	19
Wabash pfd	1,300	38⅞	37⅞	37⅞
Wheeling & Lake Erie	400	17	17	16½
Wisconsin Central	....	....	....	18
Wis. Central pfd	....	....	....	40
Express Companies—				
Adams	....	....	....	222
American	....	....	....	190
United States	....	....	....	102
Wells-Fargo	....	....	....	200
Miscellaneous—				
Amalgamated Copper	11,800	46⅝	45⅞	46
Am. Car & Foundry	....	....	....	17½
Am. C. & F. pfd	100	72⅞	72⅞	71½
American Cotton Oil	....	....	....	30
Am. Cotton Oil pfd	....	....	....	88
American Ice	....	....	....	7
American Ice pfd	200	27⅞	27⅞	27
American Linseed Oil	....	....	....	8
Am. Linseed Oil pfd	....	....	....	27
American Locomotive	300	21⅞	21⅞	21⅞
Am. Locomotive pfd	....	....	....	81
Am. Smelting & Ref.	200	49	49	48
Am. S. & R. pfd	100	91	91	90
Am. Sugar Refining	4,000	125⅝	125⅜	125
Anaconda Mining Co.	....	....	....	66
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	4,500	43⅞	42⅞	42⅞
Colorado Fuel & Iron	500	32⅞	32⅞	32
Consolidated Gas	1,400	198	197⅞	197
Corn Products	500	13⅞	13⅞	13
Corn Products pfd	....	....	....	66
Distillers' Securities	200	24⅞	24⅞	24
General Electric	300	164⅞	163⅞	164
International Paper	....	....	....	11
Int'l Paper pfd	....	....	....	66
International Pump	200	32	32⅞	32
Int'l Pump pfd	....	....	....	72
National Lead	100	15	15	15
North American	....	....	....	88
Pacific Mail	100	27	27	27
People's Gas	10,000	100⅞	99⅞	99⅞
Pressed Steel Car	300	30	30	29
Pressed Steel Car pfd	....	....	....	68
Pullman Palace Car	....	....	....	208
Republic Steel	200	7⅞	7⅞	7
Republic Steel pfd	....	....	....	42
Rubber Goods	....	....	....	17
Rubber Goods pfd	....	....	....	75
Tenn. Coal & Iron	4,100	39⅞	38⅞	38
United States Leather	400	7	7	6⅞
U. S. Leather pfd	500	79	78	77⅞
United States Realty	....	....	....	6
U. S. Realty pfd	200	55	54	53
United States Rubber	300	12⅞	12⅞	12
U. S. Rubber pfd	1,900	53⅞	52⅞	52⅞
United States Steel	700	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞
U. S. Steel pfd	71,200	56⅞	55⅞	56
Westinghouse Electric	100	159	158⅞	159
Western Union	....	....	....	88½

Total sales for day....393,500

*Last sale.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		U. S. Steel	11½
Call loans	3½@3½	U. S. Steel pfd	56⅞
Time loans	3@4½	West'house Com.	78
Bonds—		Mining—	
Atchison, Adj. 4s	88½	Adventure	2½
Atchison 4s	99	Allouez	4½
Mex. Cen. 4s	62	Amalgamated	45⅞
Railroads—		American Zinc	10
Atchison	72½	Atlantic	8
Atchison pfd	91½	Bingham	21
Boston & Albany	245	C. & Hecla	450@460
Boston & Maine	165	Centennial	15½
Boston Elevated	138½	Copper Range	42⅞
Fitchburg pfd	138	Daly West	25
Mexican Central	9½	Dominion Coal	45
N. Y. N. H. & H.	190	Franklin	7½
Pere Marquette	75	Granby	3⅞
Union Pacific	84	Isle Royale	7
Miscellaneous—		Mass. Mining	4
Am. Arge. Chem.	13½	Michigan	5½
A. A. Chem. pfd	72	Mohawk	36⅞
Am. Pneu. Tube	5	Mont. C. & Coke	2½
Am. Sugar	127⅞	Old Dominion	13½
Am. Sugar pfd	125⅞	Osceola	55⅛
Am. Tel. & Tel.	125½	Parrot	23
Am. Woolen	10½	Quincy	85
Am. Woolen pfd	74½	Shannon	8
Dom. I. & S.	9½	Tamarack	91
Edison Elec. Illu.	224	Trinity	4
Gen. Electric	163	U. S. Mining	21½
Mass. Electric	19	U. S. Oil	9¼
Mass. Elec. pfd	71	Utah	30⅞
Mass. Gas	38½	Victoria	4½
United Fruit	101½	Winona	6½
U. Shoe Mach.	48	Wolverine	71
U. Shoe M. pfd	28½		

*Ex-dividend.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg.	105½	L. & N. Un. 4s	99
U. S. R. 2s coup.	105⅞	Man. Con. G. 4s	103½
U. S. 3s reg.	106½	Mex. Cen. 4s	62
U. S. 3s coup.	106½	Mex. C. 1st Inc.	13½
U. S. n. 4s reg.	132⅞	M. & St. L. 4s	96
U. S. n. 4s coup.	132⅞	M. K. & T. 4s	95
U. S. old 4s reg.	107½	M. K. & T. 2s	77½
U. S. old 4s coup.	108½	N. R. Nat'l Ry. 4s	76
Atchison, Gen. 4s	101½	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	97½
Atchison, Adj. 4s	89	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	128
Atlantic C. L. 4s	92½	N. P. 4s	103½
B. & O. 4s	102	N. P. 3s	71⅝
B. & O. 3½s	94	N. & W. Con. 4s	98½
Cen. of Ga. 5s	106½	Oregon S. L. 4s	94½
C. of Ga. 1st Inc.	65	Pa. Conv. 3½s	95½
Ches. & O. 4½s	104⅞	Reading Gen. 4s	96½
C. & A. 3½s	76⅞	St. L. & I. M. 5s	114½
C. B. & Q. n. 4s	93	St. L. & S. F. 4s	83½
C. M. & St. P. 4s	107⅞	St. L. S. W. 1sts	93½
C. & N. W. 7s	127½	Seaboard A. L. 4s	70
C. R. I. & P. 4s	70⅞	So. Pacific 4s	88½
C. R. I. & P. 5s	79	So. Railway 5s	113
C. C. C. & St. L. 4s	101	T. & P. 1sts	116½
Chicago Ter. 4s	78	T., St. L. & W. 4s	70
	75⅞	Union Pacific 4s	102⅞
Colo. & So. 4s	84	U. P. Conv. 4s	94½
D. & R. G. 4s	97⅞	U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	76⅞
Erie prior lien 4s	97⅞	Wabash 1sts	116
Erie Gen. 4s	84½	Wabash Deb. B.	61½
Fort Worth 1sts	105½	W. & L. E. 4s	87⅞
Hock. Val. 4½s	104⅞	Wis. Cen. 4s	88

*Offered.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Close: Money on call was easy at 1½@1¾ per cent.; closing bid, 1 per cent.; offered, 1½ per cent. Time loans were easy; 60 days, 3½@3 per cent.; 90 days, 3@3½ per cent.; six months, 3¾@4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange was firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87 5-10@4.87 7-20 for demand, and at 4.84¾@4.84 17-20 for 60-day bills. Posted rates, 4.85@4.85½ and 4.88. Commercial bills, 4.84¼@4.84⅝. Bar silver, 55¼. Mexican dollars, 44. Bonds—Government steady; railroads steady.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Wheat—Spot steady; options closed ⅝ net lower. May closed 101⅞; July closed 95½; September closed 88. Hops and hides steady. Wool firm. Coffee—Spot steady. Sugar—Raw and refined firm.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Cotton—Spot closed dull, 20 points higher. Middling uplands, 15.35; middling Gulf, 15.60; sales, 600 bales.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKET.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, March 31.—Rain in Western and Central Kansas had a counterbalancing influence on the wheat market, offsetting firm cables and strength in cash grains. Closing prices in all pits today were almost identical with yesterday's final figures. In spite of reports of additional rain in the Southwest, there was temporary active demand for wheat at the opening. The principal influences that were responsible for the demand were firm cables and the strength of the cash situation. The market opened firm, with July up ⅛ to ¼ to ⅜, at 87⅞@87⅞@88. There was much covering by shorts, due to strength in corn. Receipts in the Northwest were small. Later in the session, the rain that had attracted so little attention earlier in the day became an influential factor in bringing out numerous selling orders from scalpers. Fresh reports of general rain in Western Kansas, a region which has been the center of the drouth district, came as a reinforcement to previous advices. The result was general selling with a decline in prices, July reacting to 87⅝. The market made a recovery from the low point on covering by shorts and the close was about steady, with July at 87⅞. May closed at 93⅞, after selling between 94⅞ and 93⅞. The attitude of the leading longs was the chief feature of consideration in the corn pit. The market closed steady, with little change from yesterday's final figures. July closed at 53⅞@53⅞ and May at 55⅞. The action of wheat and corn was the chief factor of trading in oats. The close was at 41⅞ for May and July, at 39⅞. A big run of hogs and declines of 10 to 12 in prices at the yards caused weakness in provisions early in the day. There was good buying on the decline, however, and the market quickly recovered. Shorts became quite active buyers late in the day, causing a firm close, July pork being up 12½; July lard 2 higher, and ribs 7½ up.

The leading futures closed as follows:

	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2—	
May	[illegible]
July (old)	[illegible]
July (new)	[illegible]
September (old)	[illegible]
September (new)	[illegible]
Corn, No. 2—	
May	[illegible]
July	[illegible]
September	[illegible]
Oats, No. 2—	
May	[illegible]
July	[illegible]
September	[illegible]

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was quiet and steady; No. 2 spring wheat, [illegible]; No. 2 red, [illegible]; No. 2 corn, [illegible]; No. 2 yellow, [illegible]; No. 2 oats, [illegible]; No. 2 white, [illegible]; No. 2 rye, 72; good feeding barley, [illegible]; fair to choice malting, [illegible]; No. 1 flax seed, 1.08; No. 1 northwestern, 1.16; prime timothy seed, 2.90; mess pork, per bbl., [illegible]; lard, per 100 lbs., [illegible]; short ribs, sides (loose), [illegible]; short clear sides (boxed), 7.25@7.50; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.23; clover, contract grade, [illegible].

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	37,900	34,000
Wheat, bushels	74,000	48,000
Corn, "	92,000	38,700
Oats, "	236,700	249,000
Rye, "	12,000	4,300
Barley, "	28,300	27,000

Dairy Market.

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was quiet and steady; creamery, 14@24½; dairy, 17@21; eggs, easier, 16½@16¾; cheese, easy, 10@10½.

Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, March 31.—Close: Wheat—May, 93⅞; July, 87⅞; old, [illegible]; September, [illegible]. Corn—March, [illegible]; April, [illegible]; May, 55⅞; July, 53⅞@53⅞; September, 52. Oats—May, 41⅞@41⅞; July, 39⅞; September, 32. Rye—May, 71. Flax—Cash, northwestern, 1.16. Timothy—March, 2.90. Clover—March, 10.60. Barley—Cash, 36@54.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Spot tin was unchanged in London, and futures were lower, so that both positions closed at £127 13s. Locally, tin was a shade easier, closing quiet at 28.00@28.50. Copper advanced 2s 6d to £58 2s 6d and £57 17s 6d for spot and futures in the London market. Locally, copper was firm. Lake and electrolytic, 12.87½@13.00; casting, 12.62½@12.75. Lead unchanged, at £12 3s 9d in London and 4.60@4.65 in New York. Spelter was unchanged in both markets. Locally, iron unchanged.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 5-32; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 21-32; molasses sugar, 2 9-32; refined, firm; crushed, 5.40; powdered, 4.80; granulated, 4.70. Coffee—Spot steady; No. 7, Rio, 7⅝.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 31.—Wool—Steady; Territory and western mediums, 16@20; fine medium, 15@17; fine, 14@16.

New York Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Coffee closed, May, 5.55@5.60; sales, 21,500.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA (Wash.) March 31.—Wheat—One cent higher for blue stem, at 83; club, 78.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND (Or.) March 31.—Wheat—Walla Walla, 75; blue stem, 81; valley, 81.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, March 31.—Close: Wheat—May, 6s 6⅛d; July, 6s 5d.

Chicago Live-stock Market.

CHICAGO, March 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 8000; steady; good to prime steers, 5.25@5.80; poor to medium, 3.80@5.00; stockers and feeders, 2.75@4.35; cows, 1.75@4.30; heifers, 2.25@4.50; canners, 1.75@2.60; bulls, 2.00@4.10; calves, 3.00@6.50; Texas fed steers, 4.00@4.65. Hogs—Receipts, today, 50,000; tomorrow, [illegible]; 10 to 15c lower; mixed and butchers, 5.15@5.40; good to choice heavy, 5.35@5.45; rough heavy, 5.15@5.25; light, 4.90@5.25; bulk of sales, 5.20@5.35. Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; sheep and lambs steady to weak; good to choice wethers, 4.75@5.40; fair to choice mixed, 3.75@4.50; western sheep, 4.50@5.40; native lambs, 4.50@5.85; western lambs, 4.50@5.90.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

GRAIN, FRUIT AND PRODUCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Today's market for citrus fruits was in excellent shape for selling interests, warmth and sunshine imparting marked strength to the demand, and under comparatively light offerings firmer prices prevailed. In oranges, the movement was quite animated, both in local and shipping channels, and close clearances of available supplies were easily effected at hardened values. Favorite sizes of sound selections met with snappy call, and sellers experienced no difficulty in obtaining full outside quotations. The business closed with stocks well cared for and the market in good position for the handling of tomorrow's receipts. At the auction sale, seven carloads are to be placed on sale, and some four or five cars are expected by independent firms on the street. There was good volume to the demand for both lemons and limes, and quoted prices were maintained with marked steadiness, top quality offerings readily bringing best values. Seedless grapefruit sold freely, and for large sizes the maximum quotation was obtained without difficulty. Top-quality apples found a good place in the demand, and were held well in hand at long-established prices. The cheaper sorts were also steady, the demand being up to supplies. Firmness existed in all departments in the potato market and under good call for both local and shipping purposes, strong tone was apparent despite the heavier supplies. Fancy onions were scarce and easily sold, up to top quotation, a few parcels of extra bringing slight advance. In miscellaneous kinds, the market was in good condition for sellers, and price fluctuations were held within narrow limits. Receipts of asparagus were lighter, about 1100 boxes arriving, but as supplies were fully equal to trade wants, prices showed no improvement. The market, however, maintained steady tone at the prevailing prices, and offerings were well cared for, canners cleaning up the cheaper stock at the minimum rate. With Jersey Island now under water, further shrinkage in receipts is looked for. Rhubarb was in free supply, but with good call strengthened by demand for shipping to the North, offerings were well cleaned up at fairly steady prices. Green peas were cheaper, arrivals being heavier and the quality of bulk of offerings running to poor sorts. Top-quality tomatoes met with steady demand at full prices, but much inferior stock was available, down to the inside rate. String beans were sparingly offered at fancy prices. Summer squash was more plentiful, and offerings had to be strictly fancy to warrant the best quotation. Peppers were easier.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Flour—Net cash prices for family extras, 4.80@5.10; baker's extras, 4.70@5.00; Oregon and Washington, ——.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.37½@1.40; milling, 1.40@1.45.

Hay—Wheat, 11.00@17.00; wheat and oats, 14.00@15.50; barley hay, nominal; clover, ——; alfalfa, 11.00@13.50; straw, 60@70; wild oats, ——; tame oats, 12.00@16.00.

Barley—Feed, 1.12½@1.15; brewing, 1.15@1.17½; Chevalier, ——.

Oats—Red, 1.27½@1.30; white, 1.37½@1.37½; black, 1.25@1.35.

Middlings—25.00@27.50; mixed feed, 20.00@21.00; rolled barley, 23.50@24.50.

Onions—Fancy, 2.25; common, 2.00.

Berries—Strawberries, ——; raspberries, ——; cranberries, ——.

Fruit—Fancy apples, 2.25; common apples, 50; pears, common, ——; fancy, ——; pomegranates, ——; quinces, ——; grapes, ordinary, ——; persimmons, ——.

Citrus fruits—Navels, 75@2.00; Valencias, ——; seedlings, ——; Mexican limes, 3.00@3.50; California lemons, common, 75; fancy, 2.50; Japanese Mandarins, ——.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 1.00@2.25; pineapples, 2.00@3.00.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 22; seconds, 20; fancy dairy, 20; seconds, 17.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 1.25@1.50; River Burbanks, 1.00@1.20; Merced sweets, ——; Early Rose, 1.25@1.50; new potatoes, 3.00@3.50.

Cheese—New, ——; eastern, 15@18; Young America, 9½@10.

Eggs—Eastern, ——; ranch, 19@21; store, 17@18.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Receipts—

Beans—Pink, 3.20@3.40; Lima, 3.25@3.35; small white, 3.00@3.15; large white, 2.50@2.75.

Various—Green peas, 7½@4; string beans, 15@17½; green peppers, 20@25; tomatoes, 1.00@1.75; summer squash, 1.00@1.50; asparagus, 2@5; rhubarb, 75@1.25; garlic, 12½@15; cucumbers, 1.00@1.75; Mexican tomatoes, 1.50@2.00; mushrooms, 10@20.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 16@21; roosters, old, 5.00@6.00; roosters, young, 7.00@8.00; broilers, small, 3.50@4.50; broilers, large, 5.00@5.50; fryers, 6.50@7.00; hens, 5.50@6.50; ducks, old, 5.50@6.50; ducks, young, 6.50@7.50; geese, 2.00@2.25; pigeons, old, 1.25@1.50; pigeons, young, 2.25@2.50.

San Francisco Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	6	Hale & Norcross	65
Alpha Con	6	Justice	3
Andes	47	Mexican	260
Belcher	25	Occidental Con	58
Best & Belcher	265	Ophir	545
Bullion	9	Overman	21
Caledonia	120	Potosi	29
Challenge Con	29	Savage	28
Chollar	19	Seg. Belcher	11
Confidence	100	Sierra Nevada	53
Con. Cal. & Va.	120	Silver Hill	65
Con. Imperial	2	Union Con	65
Crown Point	20	Utah Con	19
Exchequer	1	Yellow Jacket	34
Gould & Curry	40		

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Receipts—Flour, quarter sacks, 3183; wheat, centals, 3611; barley, centals, 4420; oats, centals, 222; beans, sacks, 502; corn, centals, 870; potatoes, sacks, 2284; onions, sacks, 367; bran, sacks, 60; middlings, sacks, 60; hay, tons, 380; straw, tons, 5; hides, number, 236; wine, gallons, 52,100.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Wheat—Steady; May, 1.38¾; December, 1.32½. Barley weaker; May 1.09 bid; December, 98½. Corn, large yellow, 1.42½@1.45. Bran, 18.00@19.50.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Silver bars, 55¼; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts, sight, 12½; drafts, telegraph, 15.

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HEAD HUNTER'S MISTRESS FREED.

DISCHARGED BY JUDGE OF SAN BERNARDINO COURT.

Says She Would Have Been Slain Had She Interfered in the Butchery—Constable Rowe Still Alive. Water Found on the Desert Near Victor by Settlers.

SAN BERNARDINO, March 31.—Trinidad Figueroa, the mistress of Miguel Antony, the "head hunter," awaiting sentence of death for the murder of Lee Gar at Needles last December, was released this morning, Judge Bledsoe having granted the motion of the District Attorney to dismiss the charge against her.

The woman expressed regret at the fate of the condemned man, but vowed she had told the truth concerning the tragedy, and would have herself been slain by the Porto Rican had she attempted to interfere in the butchery. She left the jail with friends, and proposes to locate in San Francisco, where she has several children by a former husband in a Catholic orphanage.

CONSTABLE ROWE YET ALIVE.

Constable Edwin Rowe of North Cucamonga, who was run down last night by a Santa Fé train, at the Third-street crossing, is still alive, but there appears little hope of his recovery, owing to the terribly mangled condition of his limbs and the fact that he is almost 60 years old. The accident has caused widespread indignation here on account of the lack of automatic gates or signals at the various railroad crossings throughout the city. Some months ago the matter was brought forcibly before the City Trustees, who decided among themselves to instruct the City Clerk to notify the companies that at the Third-street crossing and the E-street crossings of the Santa Fé and Southern Pacific, gates must be provided, while other points should have danger signals. But the matter was allowed to rest, though numerous accidents similar to the one which has just shocked the community have narrowly been averted.

RESERVOIR SCANDAL.

The reservoir scandal, in which it is alleged an attempt was made to secure $1000 at the city's expense, the scheme being balked by certain trustees stopping payment of the contractor's warrant, will again agitate the town tomorrow, when either Contractor McNair will prepare to accept the reduced amount or take measures to bring suit. It is reliably reported that the former step will be taken, owing to the demonstrated fact that the reservoir falls short of the specifications.

WATER IN THE DESERT.

James Poole returned this morning from the desert, and reports that numerous settlers are taking up homesteads between Victor and Rabbit Springs, and that in several instances artesian water has been developed. Most of the colonists come from Los Angeles.

REDLANDS.

COUGHED UP THE PIN.

REDLANDS, March 31.—Four years ago Miss Lizzie Mabry of this city accidentally swallowed a large blackheaded pin. No serious results followed until about a year ago, when she had serious hemorrhages, which physicians said came from her lungs, and though she was a picture of health, her case was pronounced tuberculosis and no hope was extended for her recovery. She, however, did recover, and Sunday night coughed up the pin, which was half worn away. It is now believed the pin was the cause of all her illness.

RIVERSIDE.

TO FIGHT COURT DECISION.

RIVERSIDE, March 31.—A meeting of the Riverside Water Company stockholders was held yesterday afternoon. Some of the Englishmen who have large interests in this enterprise were in attendance. It is understood that many matters were thoroughly discussed, and one of the most important was what steps shold be taken in fighting the far-reaching decision of the Supreme Court in the now celebrated case of Walkinshaw vs. Katz, in which the findings were not at all to the liking of the water company. Mr. Houghton of San Francisco, the Riverside Water Company's attorney, has been here several days looking over the legal situation. It is understood that ex-Judge Chapman of Los Angeles will be associated with him in conducting the proceedings against the objectionable decision of the higher court.

SUCCESSFUL CONCERT.

Last evening the members of the High School baseball team were delighted with having a crowded house to enjoy a fine concert, the proceeds of which are to be used in getting new uniforms for the club. Mme. Johnstone-Bishop and Harry Barnhart, two of Los Angeles's popular artists, aided greatly in making the affair a success.

COURT CINCHES BEER SELLERS.

FRED FRANKE CONVICTED BY SANTA ANA JUSTICE.

Retrial by a Jury Was Denied Him. Lawyers Will Appeal the Case. Pearl Walter Found at National City, but Monahan's Coin Is Still Missing.

SANTA ANA, March 31.—Fred Franke of Anaheim, charged with unlawfully delivering beer in an alley off Main street, was found guilty by Recorder Willson in the Police Court this afternoon. On his first trial, held two weeks ago, Franke escaped conviction by a "hung" jury, but on this occasion a jury trial was denied him on the ground that the defendant had no right to it for an infraction of a city ordinance. The evidence was all presented before 2 o'clock and after brief arguments the court's decision finding him guilty was announced. Tuesday at 10 o'clock was set as the time for pronouncing sentence. In the meantime Franke's attorneys will prepare a motion for a new trial and ask for an appeal from the findings of the Recorder's court. They made the announcement today that the case will be carried to the limit to test the constitutionality of the ordinance and of Recorder Willson's ruling in denying a jury trial.

WOMAN FOUND, COIN MISSING.

Mrs. Pearl Walter, whom Dr. J. A. Monahan accuses of abstracting $440 from his trunk at the Bancroft House, was located by Sheriff Lacy in National City last night and today is locked up in the County Jail here awaiting arraignment in the Justice Court. Mrs. Walter was at first supposed to have gone to Long Beach, but failing to find her there the officers went south and traced her to National City, where she was discovered occupying a cottage with W. Barker, the old veteran with whom she left this city. She claimed to be keeping house for him. A search of her premises revealed only one of the twenty-two $20 gold pieces which she was supposed to have taken. This was found in her purse, and she explained that she was keeping it for Barker to whom the coin belonged. Barker remained in National City. The complaint on which Mrs. Walter was arrested charges her with petty larceny, but if sufficient evidence can be adduced this will be changed to grand larceny. Her hearing will be held Saturday at 10 o'clock.

IRRIGATION FINANCES.

The monthly report of the secretary of the Santa Ana Valley Irrigation Company gives the cash receipts of the month just closed as $4915.17, of which amount $1744.79 was taken in for water and $2800.60 from assessments. The disbursements for the month amounted to $2147.52, and the balance on hand at the present time is $12,438.67. At the beginning of the month there was $9671.32 in the treasury.

FULLERTON.

RIVAL WATER COMPANIES.

FULLERTON, March 31.—It is announced that the litigation committees of the two water companies in this county held an all-day session in Anaheim. J. R. Newberry of Los Angeles and Rincon is known to have been in conference with the committees during the morning session, and it is rumored that a proposition will be made him for the purchase of his large ranch and alleged water rights at Rincon. If this deal goes through, it will, no doubt, end a very expensive law suit which has been on for some time.

PRICE OF CABBAGES.

P. A. Nicolas holds that the cabbage growers of this section are selling their product at too low a price, as he has inside information that cabbages in many of the Eastern States, are worth $120 a ton. He believes that the crop here should bring $35 or $40 a ton, instead of about $25 a ton, the prevailing price. On account of the rain, no cabbages were shipped from Fullerton this week, but prices may be fixed Saturday night for next week's shipments.

NEW OSTRICH FARM.

Edward Cawston of the South Pasadena ostrich farm has purchased 120 acres of land in La Habra Valley from W. J. Hole. The property will be fenced and large barns erected at once. Two hundred inches of water has been contracted for by Mr. Cawston, who will make this one of the largest breeding ostrich farms in the world.

SANTA BARBARA.

LOOKS BAD FOR MRS. DOWNEY.

SANTA BARBARA, March 31.—The second trial of Mrs. Jennie Downey, charged with the shooting of Charles A. Wilson, is now well under way, a large amount of testimony for the prosecution having been introduced yesterday and this morning. Thirteen jurors have been sworn, it being considered expedient to have an extra juror in case one of the original twelve is taken ill before the end of the trial. After a comparatively quiet period extending over several days, Mrs. Downey is again giving trouble, protesting that she is sick and lying with her eyes closed most of the time. Some new and damaging testimony was introduced by the prosecution yesterday afternoon, and the net of evidence seems to be drawing closer about the accused woman. Mrs. Gilman, manager of the Associated Charities, was put on the stand and testified that some time ago after her first troubles with Wilson, Mrs. Downey had applied to her for work. Mrs. Gilman talked with her, finally advising her to leave Santa Barbara and start anew in some other place. Mrs. Gilman testified yesterday that in response to this advice Mrs. Downey had struck her fist on the table and declared that she would not leave Santa Barbara until she had put a bullet in the back of Charley Wilson's head. Manager Bartlett of the bath-house confectionery department, was the star witness for the defense, but his statement that Mrs. Downey was at the bath-house about the time of the shooting of Wilson, did not stand up under cross-examination, and he finaly admitted that the defendant might have left the bath-house fully an hour before the time the shooting took place.

MAY HAVE DOLLAR GAS.

A prominent business man who has been in Los Angeles recently in the interests of the proposed new electric lighting and gas works here, returned last night, and said, during the course of an interview:

"We have already secured $50,000 toward the construction of a new gas and electric plant in Santa Barbara, and within the next week the promoters expect to have $200,000, the amount necessary to begin active work. Among those interested in the scheme are two well-known bankers whose names insure the success of the undertaking from the start. Dollar gas and cheaper electric light will be a reality in Santa Barbara in a short time, and it is probable that before the month is out the City Council will be asked to grant a franchise to the new company."

VENTURA.

TO ENFORCE OLD ORDINANCE.

VENTURA, March 31.—The Board of Town Trustees started in on an effort to enforce the dead-letter ordinances on the town's statute books, and which under former boards have become dust-covered and forgotten. The first of these ordinaces taken up was the liquor ordinace. In this ordinance several features have been entirely overlooked for years. The board has started in to see that the law is obeyed to the letter. The bicycle ordinance was next to receive attention. It is against the town's laws to ride a wheel on the sidewalk, but of late the wheelmen actually ring their bells to make pedestrians get off the walks. The last ordinance to receive attention is that regarding the running loose in the streets of stock, or the staking out of stock to graze within the town limits. In the future the pound man will take up all stock caught out at the expense of the owner.

NEW GRAND JURY FOR RIVERSIDE.

RIVERSIDE, March 31.—Knowing that the eyes of this entire community are upon his every official act, and having been plainly told by the recent grand jury what his duty was and why it was necessary that he lose no time in performing it, Judge Noyes this afternoon ordered the drawing of the new grand jury for 1904. Under ordinary circumstances this would not be done until November, but in the report filed Tuesday, Noyes was reminded by the adjourning grand jury that unless the new one was called at once, certain grafters could not be successfully prosecuted because they would be able to take refuge behind the statute of limitations. He was forcibly reminded that he had promised to assist in a full investigation, and was plainly told that there are cases of official corruption which need to be investigated.

County Clerk Phelps drew the following twenty-seven names from the wheel: A. P. Johnson, E. W. Holmes, Frank A. Miller, George A. Frost, George Reynolds, G. W. Dickson, George B. Hanna, George W. Tarwater, H. M. Streeter, W. G. Fraser, Harry Bants, E. P. Clarke, W. T. Kirkpatrick, W. M. Bartee, Bradford Morse, H. A. Westbrook, F. W. Richardson, James Mills, D. E. Meyers, L. Gill, D. W. McLeod, J. S. Castleman, D. P. Chapman, H. C. Thompson, Judson Pease, H. W. Leighton and M. C. Paxton.

If it were possible to select the nineteen necessary members from the foregoing list, a fearless, incorruptible, anti-gang jury might be secured, but there is reason to believe that few of this number will serve. The law gives a prospective defendant the right to challenge grand jurors, when he knows that they are about to investigate his acts, the same as that right is accorded a defendant in the selection of a trial jury. Now, it is well known that certain members of the present Board of Supervisors are to be investigated, and it is certain that some of them will appear April 7 when the panel named is to report for duty, and then and there will object to this or that man serving, alleging bias, prejudice or other disqualification. That the really strong men on the list will be challenged no reasonable person doubts. Some of those whose names have been drawn will be excused for cause; others will be disqualified by reason of having recently served as grand jurors, so that it will be practically impossible to select nineteen men from the twenty-seven named. This panel will soon be exhausted.

CHANCE FOR JUGGLING.

Then will come an opportunity for political manipulating and juggling, the effect of which would be to ultimately defeat the very purpose for which the new grand jury is to be assembled. The court would order the Sheriff to fill the panel from an open venire and it would then become the duty of the Sheriff to go into the highways and byways and summon whomsoever he desired. In this open venire lies the danger and in its makeup the people are vitally interested. With the taxpayers, aroused as they are, more interest will be manifested in this matter than ever before in the history of the county and a closer watch kept. Sheriff Coburn has declared his intention to do strictly his duty without reference to gangs and grafters, and will now have an opportunity to show his sincerity.

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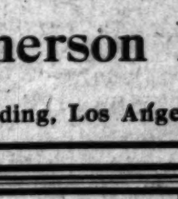

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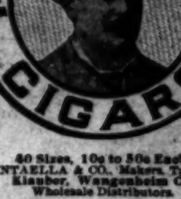

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

WATER WAGON IN PASADENA.

MUNICIPALITY TO TAKE OVER WATER PLANTS.

Board of Trade Committee Will Recommend Public Ownership, Subject to be Discussed at Cold Water Banquet—The Social Whirl and Other Doings.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 24 South Raymond avenue, April 1.—Every time you take a drink of water you will be helping to pay for the water plant and also to pay the running expenses of the city. This will be the condition of affairs if the hopes of the Board of Trade's committee on municipal ownership are realized. This committee, consisting of Harry Geohegan, chairman; M. O. Randall, E. C. Bailey, Tom Coleman, Albert Mercer, H. H. Kimroth, M. P. Green, P. P. Bonham and Henry Newby, has been working as hard as fake war correspondents on the great question. They have held several meetings a month during the past few months and are now ready to present to the annual Board of Trade banquet on April 8 a report of the result of their investigations.

This report is expected to recommend that the city at once take steps to acquire the present water systems or if that be not feasible to start a plant of its own. The proposition will likely be put to a vote of the banqueters, as representative men of the city.

Los Angeles has been taken as a model in some ways, and Engineer Hollopeter who will address the banqueters, is expected to show what a good idea municipal ownership is.

The banqueters will enjoy a strictly water banquet. The finishing touches are being put in the programme. Horticultural Inspector C. A. Day will speak on good roads.

Talk as to President Boynton's successor names C. D. Daggett and D. W. Herlihy as prominent in the running. Boynton will not take it again as he will leave shortly with Pasadena's exhibit at the World's Fair, to be gone eight months. D. W. Coolidge is supported strongly to succeed himself as secretary. His increase in the membership list has made a great hit and he is backed to put it up to 600 by next year.

MRS. BURDETTE ENTERTAINED.

Mrs. Robert J. Burdette of Sunnycrest yesterday afternoon entertained the members of the College Fraternity Alpha Phi who are living in Los Angeles and vicinity. The affair was in honor of Mrs. John Howard McElvay of Chicago. Among the Pasadena guests were Mrs. Malcolm J. McLeod and Miss Harriet McCaskey. Mrs. Burdette established this fraternity while a student at Syracuse University in 1872. Now has chapters at Stanford, Berkley, Boston, Columbia, Baltimore, Syracuse, Northwestern, Wisconsin, Michigan and Minnesota universities.

THE SIDDY WHIRL.

From the number of invitations which have delayed the society people of Pasadena within the past few days the social gaiety of Easter week and the following bids fair to exceed anything known previously in the history of Pasadena. This afternoon Miss Anne Whitmore entertains with a musicale in honor of Miss Morehous. Monday Miss Clara Dows of Bellefontaine avenue gives a luncheon. Tuesday Mrs. Lloyd Macey gives a luncheon in honor of her mother, Mrs. Gill, at 1 o'clock, and between 3 and 5 Mrs. B. M. Page and Miss Blakesley give a large reception at the Maryland, to which all the ex-bachelors are bidden. Tuesday evening there will be a dinner dance for about forty of the young society set at Hotel Green. Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Jack Bragdon entertains at cards; Mrs. E. A. Ford gives a coaching party with a luncheon following, in honor of Miss Morehous and Miss Lillian Guyer, and Mrs. E. H. May gives tea in honor of Mrs. F. H. D. Banks of Philadelphia; Mrs. Hazelhurst, the same day, gives a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Gill of Baltimore, and Mrs. Dwight Whiting gives the largest and most elaborate juvenile cotillion ever given in Pasadena that afternoon at the Maryland. Friday Mrs. George Patten gives a luncheon and Mrs. H. M. Hamilton and Mrs. C. H. Hamilton of East California street give a reception in honor of Mrs. Lorenzo Leeland. Saturday Miss Claypool gives a luncheon to twenty of the youngest society women, this affair also in honor of Miss Morehous.

Invitations were yesterday issued by Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Philo Morehous for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Vera May, and Edward Henry Mendyke, Wednesday evening, April 20, at their home, No. 322 South Orange Grove avenue.

ABOUT TOWN.

The Farmers' Club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Merwin on San Pasqual street. C. W. Coman read a paper on "Economic Poultrying," and E. A. Bonine spoke on "Gardens and Gardening." Mrs. Baldwin sang. Delegates were chosen to the Monrovia institute.

Last week Health Officer Rowland began a crusade against the people who are keeping cows in the city limits after having secured the proper certificate to the effect that "boss" is in good health.

The statement that Hotel Green will open April 12 is a mistake. The big hotel will remain open until a month or so later.

John Robbins has an automobile in use here at Lamanda Park that seems to have just strayed there. He says that an unknown party left it there and it ran away. He suspects that it may have been stolen property, and he wants to know.

Word has been received from San Francisco of the death of Mrs. J. K. Bailey, formerly a resident of Pasadena, the mother of Misses Emma and Rose Mulkey of this city. She was 54 years of age, and leaves a husband, son and two daughters.

Walter McNaughton, aged 28, died on Wednesday in Altadena. The remains will be taken to Franklin, Ind.

Lost—Aberdeen terrier. Answers to name of "Scottie." Dark with some white hairs. Wears collar with New York City and Pasadena tax license. Reward if left at office or notice sent to 150 Worcester avenue.

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Johnson Bros. sell fine cottages.

HOLLYWOOD.

NEW BUILDINGS.

HOLLYWOOD, March 31.—Dr. Edwin O. Palmer broke ground this morning for an elegant two-story pressed-brick building on Prospect avenue near the postoffice.

E. R. Walker is building a handsome residence on the corner of Prospect avenue and Gower street.

PASTOR CALLED.

The First Baptist Church has extended a call to Rev. L. P. Russell of Lawrence, Kan., to become its pastor. Mr. Russell is a graduate of the University of Chicago and has held many important positions under the American Baptist Home Mission Society. He has been pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lawrence for several years and comes to Southern California on account of the Kansas climate.

CENSUS MARSHAL.

Mrs. N. Ashcroft has been appointed census marshal for the Hollywood school district.

FLOATING IN THE SEA FIVE YEARS.

BOTTLE CAST UP ON LONG BEACH BY THE INCOMING TIDE.

Was Dropped from the Transport Zealandia by a Kansas Soldier on the Way to the Philippines—Closing Work of Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

LONG BEACH, March 31.—Frank Spencer, while driving along the beach, a mile east of town this morning, saw a peculiar-looking bottle in the surf. He secured it and found a paper inside and a stamped envelope. On the paper was the following:

"Jan. 2, 1899.

"U. S. transport Zealandia, ten days from Honolulu, bound to Manila, to join H Battery, Third U. S. Artillery, at Columbit, P. I.

"Will the finder please return this to F. W. Krouse, 51 North First street, Kansas City, Kan.? If I am alive, will acknowledge receipt of same."

The bottle gives evidence of having been in the water a long time, and is thickly encrusted with marine growth and barnacles. The letter will be forwarded to Krouse with the circumstances and date of the finding. Mr. Spence will keep the bottle as a souvenir of the mysteries of the deep.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

The closing day's programme of the district convention of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society were very interesting. The annual election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. William Sterling, Los Angeles; first vice-president, Mrs. Fisher, Los Angeles; second vice-president, Mrs. L. L. Spencer, Compton; third vice-president, Mrs. Robert Fisher, Los Angeles; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. B. Oliver, Los Angeles; recording secretary, Mrs. F. G. H. Stevens, Santa Monica; treasurer, Mrs. S. Townsend, Long Beach.

The chief feature of today's programme was a symposium on the "Claims of Foreign Missions Upon Us" as debtors (Mrs. Gorham), as patriots (Mrs. Pilkington), by the Christians (Mrs. Ellis,) as home makers and women (Mrs. Stringfield,) as mothers (Mrs. Lloyd.) A ten-minute talk this afternoon by Mrs. Harriet Banks on the "Pressing Needs of the Present Hour" was very well received. After the reports of committees and that of the treasurer had been presented, an adjournment was taken.

EBELL CIVIC SECTION.

On Tuesday evening, April 5, at 8 o'clock, the Ebell civic section will hold a reception in the parlors of the First Congregational Church. A programme has been prepared, the chief features of which will be an address on "The Juvenile Court," by Maj. A. C. Dodds, chief probation officer of Los Angeles, and a talk on the "American Park and Outdoor Art Association" by Miss Mary L. Cheney, State chairman. There will also be music and refreshments.

CONSUL FALKENBURG ILL.

Head Consul Falkenburg of the Woodmen of the World, with his family, are at the Park View Hotel for a few days' rest. Mr. Falkenburg is a sick man, and a few days ago was packed in ice for twenty-four hours to avert a threatened attack of appendicitis. His physicians are urging complete rest, but the consul says he intends to conduct the Woodmen initiation on Mt. Lowe's summit Saturday night, if he has to be carried there and back.

CLAREMONT.

ADDRESS BY DR. MORGAN.

CLAREMONT, March 31.—A large crowd gathered in the chapel this morning to listen to the address of Dr. G. Campbell Morgan. After a word of welcome and appreciation by President Gates, Dr. Morgan was introduced. He said in part:

"It is with great pleasure that I greet you students, and I bring you the cordial regard of our eastern colleges at Northfield and Herman. I want to speak to you on the claims of Christ, as revealed and pictured in the parable in Mark of the rich young ruler who came to Christ. Here was a young man, face to face with Christ in the crisis of his life. And Christ said to this young man, 'One thing thou lackest'—would He could say that to me!

"Now, let us leave what this young man lacked and see what he possessed. First, he had a fine, manly temperament. Our young man was a good man and pure, and was humble before Christ, a thing that meant more then than now.

"Second, the young man had a true inspiration. He knew he hungered for eternal life, which is not quantity, but quality, not something he gains after this life, but something he has here and now. The purer and cleaner the life, the greater the passion for the full and deep. Now let us see what it was he lacked. If the story means to sell everything and give everything we have away, it applies to but a few people—not to me, because I never had anything to give away. 'Come, follow me'—that is the vital word. It means give up that habit, that friendship; I don't know what it is—every man knows what's spoiling him.

"This young ruler lacked the element of control, he had never submitted himself to any authority, outside himself. Man never reigns until he submits—no man is fit to be in authority who cannot be under authority.

"Now, what is it to follow Christ? First, we must trust Him in everything and with everything, and have complete confidence in Him. I'll follow Christ's call through everything, and if He's beaten, I'll be beaten with Him. Second, we must obey Him and be disciplined by Him and be dependent on Him. That man is no weakling who must pray—he is strong."

CATALINA ISLAND.

YELLOWTAIL ARRIVE.

AVALON, March 31.—With the warm and sunny yeather the yellowtail have again made their appearance, and the anglers this morning had some good sport. Among the successful ones were "Yellowtail Johnnie," who scored with three; C. L. Haner and J. H. Slattery, one each.

POMONA.

CO. D INCORPORATES.

POMONA, March 31.—The civil organization of Co. D, known as the Pomona City Guards, has incorporated in order to transact regular business necessary in connection with the acquirement of property and the purchase of a site for a new armory. The officers are W. W. Midgley, president; W. E. Stevens, secretary; L. F. Beckett, G. A. McCarter and C. E. Daniels, Executive Committee, and N. C. Pedley, S. J. Rupert, A. B. Elder, L. F. Beckett, T. J. Parker and G. A. McCarter, directors.

Archie Nicklin and Carl McGill, the young men who were arrested for disturbing the meetings of the Union revival brigade, and fighting on the street, while under the influence of liquor, have been sentenced, the former to serve thirty days and the latter sixty days in the County Jail. In sentencing the boys Recorder Lee severely reprimanded them, alluding to the numerous complaints that had been made of late concerning disturbances of religious meetings in this city.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Mrs. W. B. Lyon is in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cason, were here from Long Beach today, calling upon relatives.

Oscar Ferris of Pasadena and Archie Thompson, Jr., of Los Angeles are visiting John Hendricks for a few days.

LINKED LONG THEY FEAST.

VETERAN ODD FELLOWS HAVE ANNUAL DINNER.

Over Two Hundred of Them Gather About the Board and Are Entertained by Ladies of Fraternity Rebakah Lodge—W. A. Bonynge Chosen President.

Two hundred and four plates were laid for the annual banquet given last night to the Veteran Odd Fellows by Fraternity ebekah Lodge, in I.O.O. F. Hall on South Main street.

An elaborate menu was served, for which the ladies of the entertaining lodge acted as waitresses. The banquet hall was profusely decorated with flowers and greenery, and musicians were in attendance during the repast.

Preceding the banquet, served at 10 o'clock, a meeting of the Veteran Odd Fellows was held, at which the following officers were elected: W. A. Bonynge, president; S. A. Bulfinch, vice-president; E. E. Overholtser, secretary; Louis Roeder, treasurer; W. P. Schlosser, marshal. The following were elected members of the board of directors: Dr. H. B. Tassig, A. L. Ross, C. C. O'Neil, R. A. Brown, W. A. Lothrop.

After the dinner the following programme was given: Address of welcome, W. A. Bonynge; song by Veteran Odd Fellows' trio; song, Evan J. Baldwin; recitation, W. S. Whiteman; address, Rev. S. P. Gibbs; duet, Mrs. George W. Stockwell and Mrs. Susan Brown; recitation, O. R. W. Robinson; solo, C. A. Crandall; solo, Mrs. Susan Brown; duet, Mrs. Myrtle Thompson and Evan J. Baldwin; recitation, Mrs. Myrtle Thompson.

Dancing was afterward enjoyed.

The Veteran Odd Fellows are those who have been members of the order for twenty years or more.

RED LIGHTS GO INTO ECLIPSE.

MORAL WAVE DOUSES THE LAST SCARLET GLIM.

All Haunts of Sin Known to the Police Closed Last Night—Chief Elton Leads Raid on a South Hill Joint—Others Heeded Warning to Close.

With the end of the month of March at midnight last night the closing of practically all of the notorious parlor-houses and other places of rendezvous for the members of the half-world was effected. The wave of moral reform swept completely over the vice-ridden district and the places which had so long been conducted in defiance of public sentiment, ceased to exist.

There were not many places to close last night, as it seemed to be understood that the passing of March was the extreme limit, and keepers of dives did not wait for the police to call, but quietly folded their tents and departed.

Chief Elton and Officers Boyd and Wood rounded up a number of places in the early part of the evening and about 11 o'clock they found a "swell joint" in operation at No. 255 South Hill street. The place was presided over by Ethel Wood, and the landlady, together with three women, giving their names as Mabel Stone, Dolly Long and Hattie Jones, were taken to the Police Station. The landlady was charged with selling liquor and the girls were vagged. All were released on cash bail.

The notorious Pearl Morton place was dark at 9 o'clock last night, and at midnight the equaly notorious places of Lizzie Mitchell and Edith Evans were closed. Along Wilmington, Aliso and Commercial streets the lights were out early in the evening. Officers were instructed to keep a sharp watch throughout the red-light district, but no further arrests were made.

FORCED TO IT.

Limp, Haggard and Disconsolate, He Takes His Medicine.

When a man feels driven to despair by the position he finds himself in, he is driven to take Cupidene, the great cleanser and manhood builder. Cupidene does its work quickly. Cupidene sells at $1.00 a box, 4 boxes for $3.00. It is sold at Off & Vaughn Drug Co., 200 South Spring street. If the above is your condition, do not hesitate to buy Cupidene. The great vitalizer.

DEVIL PUFFS AT MA HIM.

Flying Auto Scares Chinese Off Their Seats.

Two of Them Think Monster Has Devoured Third.

White Man's Land a Piece of Hell, They Think.

Mr. Ma Lin Him, safe in our County Jail, is believed by his Chinese relatives to be undergoing digestion in the fiery stomach of a snorting devil which roams the streets of Los Angeles.

He is following in the footsteps of his two pals who were sent back to China. They took with them such wild and blood-curdling tales of the strange monsters in Los Angeles that their friends will believe all the St.-George-and-the-dragon fairy tales Ma is minded to spin.

That is, assuming the officers are right in supposing him to be one of a party of three smuggled-in Chinamen of which the other two were caught and deported.

Ma was arrested a day or so ago in San Bernardino county at a mining camp where he was a cook. He said he had lost his certificate, but the officers believe he never had one.

The other two Chinese, suspected of bein ghis pals, came across the border from Mexico, and endured a series of thrilling experiences which have just come to light in connection with Ma's arrest.

The privations they suffered walking across the desert, nearly starving, were nothing, according to their way of thinking, compared to the frightful perils of the streets of Los Angeles. Here they saw their first trolley cars and that awful snorting devil which nearly caught and devoured them—an automobile.

By the time they got to the court they no longer resisted being deported. They wanted to go home. They wanted to do anything to save their lives from the hellish things which rushed roaring about that way. The happiest day they had was when they were placed on the steamer under sentence of deportation.

They were raw coolies, as ignorant as pigs, coming fro mone of the poorest parts of Canton—savages, in fact, moss-grown with centuries of sodden intellectual darkness.

They were landed at the Arcade Depot by a deputy United States Marshal after a dreadful experience sitting in a long house with many seats which whirled across the ground in a most mysterious way.

A trolley car was waiting and the officer indicated that they were to get on, which they did doubtfully. The rows upon rows of seats seemed to them very suspicious. The officer sat himself down on the seat and motioned them to do likewise; but they were not to be trapped like that. Instead, they warily perched themselves on the backs up in the air, their feet on the seats.

The car was half up town when one of them gave a wild yell. The officer looked up to see the man's face deathly white with terror. He was evidently about to throw himself from the car. As the officer seized him, the other had a fit like it. Their pigtails stuck straight out like spikes.

It turned out to be an automobile going by which had filled their souls with fright.

They sat shivering with abject terror all the rest of the way up the city and did not draw a breath of relief until they were locked up behind the secure bars of the County Jail. They were soon taken forth and to their relief deported to China where wages, it is true are less, but where one's life is not in peril from total destruction by promiscuous red devils, that go about puffing and snorting and taking one unawares on the busiest streets.

ON THE WATER FRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES

ARRIVED—THURSDAY, MARCH 31.

Schooner A. F. Coats, Capt. Morris, 11 days from Columbia River.

SAILED—THURSDAY, MARCH 31.

Steamer Charles Nelson, Capt. Gunderson, for San Francisco (with schooner Emma Claudina in tow).

Schooner Emma Claudina, Capt. Johnson, (in tow steamer Charles Nelson.)

Steamer Melville Dollar, Capt. Foss, for San Francisco.

Schooner Marion, Capt. Tapner, for Gray's Harbor in ballast.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

THURSDAY, MARCH 31.

British ship Cleomene, anchored Outer Harbor.

British ship Thirlmere, Outer Harbor.

Barkentine Retriever, Sou. Pac. R.R. wharf.

Barkentine John Smith, Outer Harbor.

Schooner Espada, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Willie A. Holden, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Ethel Zane, anchored Outer Harbor.

Schooner Lizzie Prien, So. Pacific wharf.

Schooner Fearless, E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Manila, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Irene, Southwestern L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Stimson, Stimson Mill Co. wharf.

Schooner C. S. Holmes, Ganahl L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Wawona, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Olga, Southwestern L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Caroline, Kerckhoff-Cusner wharf.

Schooner Ludlow, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Fanny Dutard, E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.

Schooner H. D. Bendixon, Sou. Pac. R.R. wharf.

Schooner Louise, Kerckhoff-Cusner M. & L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Sadie, Kerckhoff-Cusner M. & L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Metha Nelson, Southern Pacific wharf.

Schooner James H. Bruce, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Ludlow, Southern Cal. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner A. F. Coats, Southern Pacific wharf.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Tug Liberty, from San Francisco.

Steamer San Gabriel, from Umpqua and Eureka.

Steamer Pasadena, from Eureka, via San Francisco.

Steamer Samoa, from Caspar, via San Francisco.

Schooner W. S. Smith, from Port Gamble.

Schooner Susie M. Plummer, from Tacoma.

Schooner Meteor, from Port Ludlow.

Schooner R. C. Slade, from Aberdeen.

Schooner Philippine from Tacoma.

SCHEDULED FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

British bark Hawthornbank, from Antwerp, out 179 days.

German ship Asia, from Antwerp, out 123 days.

British ship Wray Castle, from Rotterdam, out 77 days.

German ship Bertha, from Antwerp, loading.

TO LEAVE—FRIDAY, APRIL 1.

Schooner Sadie, Capt. Johnson, for Umpqua River in ballast.

Schooner Espada, Capt. Sorrins, for Tacoma in ballast.

Steamer Melville Dollar, Capt. Foss, for San Francisco.

Schooner Sadie, Capt. Johnson, for Umpqua River in ballast.

British ship Thirlmere, Capt. Radcliff, for Seattle.

SUNDAY, April 3.—Steamer Santa Cruz, Capt. Nicholson, for San Francisco and way ports.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Santa Cruz, San Francisco.

Schobner Alcazar, Greenwood.

Steamer Coronado, Gray's Harbor.

Bark Reaper, Tacoma.

Bark Hayda Brown, Tacoma.

Barkentine Arago, South Bend.

Barkentine Charles F. Crocker, Port Townsend.

Barkentine W. H. Hume, Ballard.

Barkentine John Palmer, Port Gamble.

Barkentine J. L. Eviston, Tacoma.

Schooner Spokane, Port Gamble.

Schooner Rehome, Everett.

Schooner William F. Witzman, Astoria.

Schooner C. F. Holmes, Tacoma.

Schooner Muriel, Port Townsend.

Schooner Winslow, Everett.

Schooner Salvator, Everett.

Schooner W. H. Smith, Anacortes.

Schooner John C. Meyers, Everett.

Schooner Bertha Minor, Eureka.

Schooner J. R. Redfield, Port Townsend.

Schooner Oliver J. Olsen, Port Townsend.

Schooner Alvena, Port Townsend.

Schooner Alice McDonald, Astoria.

Schooner Columbia, Port Townsend.

Schooner Argus, Port Townsend.

Schooner Mary Dodge, Eureka.

Schooner Coquille, Randon.

Schooner Lottie Carson, Eureka.

Schooner Comet, Tacoma.

Schooner Robert R. Hind, Tacoma.

Schooner Mabel Gale, Astoria.

Schooner Erle, Aberdeen.

Schooner William Nottingham, Port Townsend.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

MOVEMENT OF MOSQUITO FLEET.

ARRIVED—THURSDAY, MARCH 31.

Launch J. C. Elliott from Long Beach with pleasure party.

Launch Fashion from Long Beach.

Launch Bonita, Capt. Bostick, from Redondo.

SAILED.

Launch J. C. Elliott for Long Beach.

Launch Fashion for Long Beach.

Launch Bonita to Redondo.

Twelve sailboats for fishing banks and returned with fish for local wholesalers.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Thursday,	March 31	9:11 a.m.	2:52 a.m.
		9:24 p.m.	3:12 p.m.
Friday,	April 1	10:03 a.m.	3:32 a.m.
		10:05 p.m.	3:57 p.m.
Saturday,	" 2	10:59 a.m.	4:15 a.m.
		10:49 p.m.	4:42 p.m.
Sunday,	" 3	11:56 a.m.	5:07 a.m.
		11:35 p.m.	5:27 p.m.
Monday,	" 4	12:53 a.m.	5:52 a.m.
			6:14 p.m.
Tuesday,	" 5	6:13 a.m.	6:40 a.m.
		1:47 p.m.	6:56 p.m.
Wednesday,	" 6	1:13 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
		2:39 p.m.	8:21 p.m.
Thursday,	" 7	2:32 a.m.	9:25 a.m.
		4:34 p.m.	9:32 p.m.

PORT ITEMS.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 12 miles.

Capt. Ole Nass has succeeded F. Christoffersen as master of the schooner Evaline; Charles Lantz has been enrolled as master of the barkentine Katie Pickinger, and T. S. Barton as master of the schooner Louis. H. Wilson has been registered as master of the schooner Repeat.

The schooner Marion has finished discharging her lumber cargo and will sail this afternoon in ballast for Gray's Harbor to load a return cargo.

The schooner A. F. Coats arrived today from the Columbia River, making the trip in a little over eleven days. She brought 787,000 feet of lumber for Inman Pilson & Co.

The steamer Charles Nelson cleared today for San Francisco, having in tow the schooner Emma Claudina. From San Francisco the Emma Claudina will sail north to load a lumber cargo.

The sailing of the British ship Thirlmere for Seattle has been delayed several days on account of adjustments being made by insurance companies for damages sustained to the cargo on her voyage.

The present trip of the Melville Dollar will be the last to this port for some time. She has been chartered to carry cable supplies to Midway Island, where a cable station has been installed. She cleared tonight for San Francisco with freight and passengers.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

The following affects the List of Lights and Fog Signals, Pacific Coast, 1903:

Oregon—Clatsop spit gas buoy, page 28 after No. 31 (List of Beacons and Buoys, Pacific Coast, page 32.) This red, conical buoy, established as an experiment on December 31, 1903, having failed to withstand the heavy currents, was discontinued March 15, 1904.

The following affects the List of Beacons and Buoys, Pacific Coast, 1903: Tillamook rock mooring buoy, page 42, a white, first-class nun, reported missing March 13, was replaced March 24.

Washington—Gray's Harbor entrance, page 73—Inner buoy, a Pd, first-class nun, reported missing March 12, was replaced March 31 on the following bearings: Lone Tree on Damon point, N.E. by N.; outer end jetty wharf (inside the bar,) E. by N. northerly; Gray's Harbor lighthouse, E. ½ S.

By order of the Lighthouse Board.

C. O. CALKINS,

Commander, U.S.N., Lighthouse Inspector.

Eczema

Salt Rheum, Ringworm, Itch, Acne, or other skin troubles, promptly relieved and cured by

Hydrozone

This scientific germicide, which is harmless, cures by killing disease germs. Used and endorsed by the medical profession everywhere. Sold by leading druggists. If not at yours, send 25 cents for a trial bottle. The genuine bears my signature. Accept no substitutes. Address

Prof. Charles Marchand, 61 J Prince St., New York.

Valuable Booklet on the treatment of diseases.

ONLY A SUGGESTION.

But it Has Proven of Interest and Value to Thousands.

Common sense would suggest that if one wishes to become fleshy and plump it can only result from the food we eat and digest and that food should be albuminous or flesh-forming food, like eggs, beefsteak and cereals; in other words, the kinds of food that make flesh are the foods which form the greater part of our daily bills of fare.

But the trouble is that while we eat enough and generally too much, the stomach, from abuse and overwork, does not properly digest and assimilate it, which is the reason so many people remain thin and under weight; the digestive organs do not completely digest the flesh-forming beefsteaks and eggs and similar wholesome foods.

There are thousands of such who are really confirmed dyspeptics, although they may have no particular pain or inconvenience from their stomachs.

If such persons would lay their prejudices aside and make a regular practice of taking, after each meal, one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets the food would be quickly and thoroughly digested, because these tablets contain the natural peptones and diastase which every weak stomach lacks, and by supplying this want the stomach is soon enabled to regain its natural tone and vigor.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets digest every form of flesh-forming food, meat, eggs, bread and potatoes, and this is the reason they so quickly build up, strengthen and invigorate thin, dyspeptic men, women and children.

Invalids and children, even the most delicate, use them with marked benefit as they contain no strong, irritating drugs, no cathartic nor any harmful ingredient.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the most successful and most widely known of any remedy for stomach troubles because it is the most reasonable and scientific of modern medicines.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by every druggist in the United States and Canada as well as in Great Britain, at 50 cents for complete treatment.

Nothing further is required to cure any stomach trouble or to make thin, nervous, dyspeptic people strong, plump and well.

HF The mark of good clothes know us for best values.

Competition is the Life of Trade

We wouldn't want to live in a city where there was no strife for trade—the lack of competition would prove a lack of trade.

Our New Spring Stock of Men's Suits

Has been carefully selected from the best makers in America with a view of surpassing all others—in variety—in quality—in rightness of price. One glance at our window display will convince you that we have accomplished our purpose.

$10, $12.50, $15, $20, $22.50, $25, $27.50, $30, $32.50, or $35.00, whatever price you wish to pay, we invite you to come here expecting the best values, the best patterns, the best cloth at any given price—glad to show you whether you are ready to buy or not.

Harris & Frank London Clothing Co.

117 to 125 NORTH SPRING STREET

SOME TELLTALE FIGURES.

It is with a degree of pride that The Times calls attention to the following figures compiled and published by the Brooklyn Eagle. They show to what extent Los Angeles was the center of great industrial development during the year 1903. The figures bear further testimony to the fact that The Times offers every day a greater bargain in advertising than any other paper in the whole United States.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING.

The number of agate lines of advertising published in the leading American newspapers during the year 1903:

FIRST SIX PAPERS IN THE UNITED STATES.

Los Angeles Times	10,545,900
N. Y. Herald	8,880,733
Philadelphia Inquirer	7,947,800
N. Y. World	7,715,871
Brooklyn Eagle	7,702,814
Chicago Daily News (Six Sunday issues)	7,644,900

AND STILL IT GROWS.

The volume of advertising printed in The Times for January and February, 1904, compared with the corresponding months of 1903 show a gain of 5558 agate lines.

The Times printed for the week ending March 26th a total of 14,513 inches of advertising, which was within 78 inches of the number printed during the first week of March. Its nearest contemporary printed a total of 6745 inches, during the week ending Saturday, March 26th, as against 8251 inches for the first week of the present month, showing a total loss of 1506 inches, or over 71 columns.

[NOTE.—In this announcement, which appeared first in the Sunday, Times March 27, 1904, the words "agate lines" in the preceding paragraph, should have been "inches."]

The conclusion is obvious. The boycotting gang and its organs are beaten.

BB SELF RAISING BUCKWHEAT

FOO & WING HERB CO. CHINESE DOCTORS

Our herb remedies have CURED HUNDREDS of chronic cases. Free prior diagnosis. No questions asked. Valuable book, Guide to Health, free. All sent on Saturdays.

903 S. OLIVE ST., Los Angeles.

Ludwig Pianos Pacific Music Co. 437-39 S. Broadway.

Oriental Rugs | Paul Courian | 412 South Spring St.

VIENNA LADIES' EMPORIUM

Cloaks, Suits, Millinery, Shirt Waists and Skirts.

349 SO. BROADWAY PHONE HOME 1882

LINOLEUM. Large stock—35c per yard. T. BILLINGTON CO., 314 S. Broadway.

The Ballard Pulmonary Sanatorium, Pasadena, Cal., the best equipped institution in the U. S. for the treatment of Consumption

Los Angeles office, 1204 South Spring st. Write for free book describing institution and treatment.

Easter Egg Dyes 3 pkgs. for 10c

The well known Paas Easter egg dyes—free from poisons; picture 100 designs. As a Friday surprise 3 packages for..... 10c

Siedlitz Powders per dozen 19c

The most efficient, most pleasant system regulator—Siedlitz powders. Strictly fresh and pure; put up one dozen in a box and regularly sold at 30c. Offered as a Friday surprise per dozen..... 19c

7 Bars Laundry Soap for 25c.

Best laundry soap; large size cakes; regular price 5c. For Thursday only, no mail or phone orders; 7 bars for.... 25c

$1.25 Ironing Board at 95c.

A folding ironing board 58 inches long; is of well seasoned wood and is adjustable to different heights. Friday surprise 95c

FOURTH FLOOR.

Calla Lily Blooms Saturday, 10c a Dozen.

Hamburger's

LARGEST PLACE TO TRADE

Children's 20c Hose 10c.

Fine French ribbed mercerized hose—double knee and feet; extra length; leg very elastic. Friday..... 10c

Women's 35c Hose at 25c.

Plain black cotton hose—extra heavy yet fine gauge. They have high spliced heels and toes and two thread double soles. Usual 3-for-$1 kind, Friday per pair. 25c

50c Lisle Gloves per pair 39c

Women's 2-clasp Lisle thread gloves—medium weight, Paris Point embroidery. Friday surprise, pair 39c

$1.25 and $1.50 Kid Gloves 89c

2-clasp kid gloves—black, white and popular shades; have embroidered backs and are Cable or Pique sewed. Every pair thoroughly warranted. Friday surprise..... 89c

Weekly Cleanup Before Easter.

The sale of the new merchandise since the season opened with our great Spring and Easter showing several weeks ago has naturally resulted in a number of broken lines which we can not fill in again during the season and we offer in our weekly cleanup of Friday surprises. Many of these goods are just what you want to go with your Easter outfit and they are exceptional money saving propositions. Our Friday surprises are absolutely the best merchandising trade winners offered by any Los Angeles store.

FRIDAY'S SURPRISES

Just Two Days---Then Easter.

The time is growing very short in which to complete your Easter purchases and this little paragraph is made for a reminder that you should not only read our advertisements of the next two days but should act upon the suggestions for you must make some purchases and you can do so to better advantage at Hamburger's than elsewhere. Every line of merchandise is shown here from both foreign and domestic markets at prices as little or as high as you want to pay but in every instance the quality of the respective lines is absolutely the best in its class.

Amoskeag Ginghams per yd. 6½c.

Fifty pieces of the staple Amoskeag Apron Ginghams—assorted blue and white checks The brand on every piece. Friday Surprise while they last, per yard..... 6¼c

8⅓ Outing Flannel per yd. 4c

One lot of dark colored Outing Flannel—mostly gray and dark blue but good value at 8⅓c. Friday Surprise a yard..... 4c

Remnant Galetea Cloth per Yard 8½c.

One lot of fancy striped Galatea of a heavy quality; good for men's shirts, for boys' wash suits and girls' dresses. Friday surprise per yard..... 8⅓c

12½c Nub Suitings per Yard 5c.

One lot of fancy nub suitings—a pretty wash dress goods suitable for children's wear; regular price 12½c. Friday surprise a yard..... 5c

Wool Mixed Art Squares $4.89.

A 9x12 ft. extra heavy wool mixed Art Square—copies of the finest wool goods; have pretty borders to match center and they are exceptionally serviceable. Friday surprise..... $4.89

THIRD FLOOR.

$4.00 Portieres per pair $2.98.

Extra heavy Tapestry Portieres—full 50 inches wide by 3 yards long. Some are in French effect, two colors and Armure weaves; six different designs to select from; all new goods. Friday surprise a pair..... $2.98

THIRD FLOOR.

30c Mattings per yard 20c.

2000 yards of Japanese Linen warp mattings—handsome carpet patterns; several good colors; are closely woven; have corded edges; all seamless and are reversible and 30c grade. Friday per yard.. 20c

FOURTH FLOOR.

$5.00 Dress Hats at $2.50.

An assortment of stylish dress hats from New York makers including turbans and large flares for women and misses and are in white, black and colors; are of braid or shirred silk and Chiffon; trimmed with ribbons, foliage and roses; regular price $5.00. Friday surprise, choice..... $2.50

SECOND FLOOR.

$2.50 Silk Grenadines per Yard $1.50

Our entire stock of $2.00, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50 black imported silk Grenadines; sheer open weave with large and small embroidered figures, scroll and leaf patterns, satin stripes in vine effect, fancy stripes; also black grounds with white scrolls. All of pure sewing silk. 45 inches wide. Friday surprise, per yard..... $1.50

75c Ready-made Shades at 35c.

A lot of 36-inch by 7 ft. ready-made Shades—some fringed and all of them mounted on patent spring rollers. Part of the stock recently purchased from Stoll & Slater who are discontinuing business. Priced as a Friday surprise, choice.... 35c

THIRD FLOOR.

Shades Made to Measure at 50c.

We will make to your measure very best imported oil Opaque shading in shades up to 38 inches wide and 7 ft. in length, all mounted on patent spring rollers and furnish them complete for hanging for..... 50c

THIRD FLOOR.

40c Brussels Carpet per yard 15c.

500 yards of heavy double faced Brussels Carpet—reversible; good for bedrooms, dining rooms or hall and stair carpet. A 40c grade. Friday surprise per yard..... 15c

THIRD FLOOR.

25c Lavender Pique per Yard 5c

25 pieces of plain lavender pique which is an excellent quality but the color has not been popular. It was bought to sell at 25c but to close it quickly, Friday surprise a yard..... 5c

Remnants Toile du Nord per Yard 7½c

A lot of popular wash fabrics consisting of Toilet du Nord, A. T. C. and Bates' Ginghams; lengths 2½ to 5 yards. Priced as a Friday surprise to close, per yard..... 7½c

50c Etamine Madras per Yard 25c.

One lot of 32-inch Etamine Madras, pretty mercerized stripes. A very sheer summer textile and has sold up to now at 50c. Priced as a Friday surprise to close, per yard..... 25c

15c White Goods per Yard 8⅓c.

One lot of lace striped white goods; some that were a little soiled from window display and handling. Were formerly sold at 15c. Priced as a Friday surprise to close per yd. 8⅓c

Friday Surprises In Women's Wearables.

$5 Silk Waists at $2.98

One lot of Peau de Soie Waists—nicely made and are in an assortment of popular colors; regular price $5.00. As a Friday surprise..... $2.98

50c and $1.00 Wool Waists at 25c.

One lot of wool waists—large and small sizes. About 100 in the lot. Formerly sold at $1.00. Now priced to close as a Friday Surprise, choice..... 25c

$7.50 Jackets $2.95.

Covert and kersey cloth jackets, small and medium sizes. All of them nicely satin lined and well made. Actually worth $7.50. Friday surprise..... $2.95

$7.50 Wool Skirts $3.95.

Dress and walking skirts, plain black, fancy mixtures or blues. An assortment of just fifty. All $7.50 values offered as a Friday surprise at choice..... $3.95

SECOND FLOOR.

35c Silk Lace Per Yard 15c

Silk Chantilly Lace Edges—black or white; medium or wide; floral and figure patterns. Values up to 35c. Friday surprise, per yard..... 15c

60c Galoons and Laces Per Yard 25c.

Point de Venice, Batiste and Oriental Galoons and applique laces in white, butter and ecru, all choice patterns, of good quality. Worth up to 60c. Friday surprise, per yd... 25c

Bargain Table Specials.

No Mail or Telephone Orders.

Heavy black corduroy ribbed rose; sizes 6½ to 9; regular price 10c. Friday surprise a pair..... 5c

REAR AISLE 1.

Mill ends French Lawns and fine Dimities; regular price 10c; Friday surprise a yard Rear Aisle 1. 5c

Men's 50c initial black socks; all sizes. Friday surprise a pair..... 5c

Quadruple plated silver butter and fern dishes; regular price $2.25. Friday..... 49c

10c Lawn collar bags with tabs. Friday 5 for..... 10c

12½c and 15c Lining Remnant, per Yd., 4c

2000 yards of 36 inch Percalines and Silesias in lengths 1 to 3 yards popular colors and grades which usually sell from the piece at 12½c and 15c. Friday surprise, per yd.. 4c

29c Lining Remnants Per Yard 8c

1500 yards of short lengths of 36 inch Percalines, Silesias and Sateens; regular 20c quality if cut from the piece. Offered as a Friday surprise in remnant lengths, per yard..... 8c

Friday Surprises In Dress Goods.

75c Mohair Sicilians at 59c.

52-inch Mohair weaves in colorings of red, golden and wood brown, navy, royal and black; are perfectly reversible and cannot be matched under 75c. Friday surprise per yard..... 59c

$1.00 Black Dress Goods at 59c.

An assortment of sheer weave Crepe Mistral covered with small nubs in check and stripe effect; very soft and clingy; 46 inches wide and regular $1.00 value. Friday surprise, no mail or telephone orders, per yard..... 59c

$1 Golf Cloth per Yd. 68c.

For Friday only a 54-inch golf cloth in brown and gray, blue and gray or gray and black; a Melton weave; smooth face; requires no lining. No telephone or mail orders, per yard..... 68c

$1 Cream Wool Goods 75c.

Smooth, rough, light weight and sheer weaves such as Crepe Granites, Crepe Mistrals, Sicilians, Brilliantines, Crepe Egyptas, Batiste, Veiling, Surah Serge, fancy Mohairs, Henriettas and others, 42 to 45 inches wide. Good values at $1.00. Friday surprise per yard..... 75c

75c Corded Habutais per yard 50c.

30-inch corded silk Habutais—cream grounds with gun metal stripes and white corded stripes; also black with corded stripes of different widths. These are extra heavy, pure silk, warp; will launder nicely and good values at 75c. Friday surprise per yard..... 50c

75c Printed Velveteens per yard 35c.

Our entire stock of these velveteens in cream, blue or black grounds with printed and metallic dots; also small figures and checks; and gun metals in small dots and figures; also corduroys with pinhead dots. They are 22 inches wide and sold up to now at 75c. Friday only, per yard..... 35c

35c Lace Collars at 19c.

Point de Venice Lace Stock Collars with tab ends; white or ecru; Teneriff designs; worth 35c. Friday..... 19c

50c Wash Neckwear at 25c.

An assortment of fancy wash neckwear including turnover tab collars; stock collars with bows, with tab ends; lace turnover and Bishop collars, and collar and cuff sets. White, color combinations and Bulgarian effects. Friday surprise choice..... 25c

Men's $3.50 Shoes at $2.95.

These shoes are of Vici Kid or Velour Calf; have Goodyear welt soles and are the newest, most fashionable shaped lasts and all sizes in the lot. Are good enough for any dress wear. Friday surprise..... $2.95

MAIN FLOOR.

$1.00 Straw Braids 12 Yds. for 25c.

Straw braids in a variety of styles and all colors and black. Put up in 12 yard pieces and sell regularly for $1. Friday surprise on bargain table, main floor, no mail or telephone orders, per piece..... 25c

50c Artificial Flowers 25c.

A choice lot of flowers in large bunches; all new and fresh, including clovers, June roses, daisies and violets. Regular price 50c. On bargain table, main floor, as a Friday surprise, no mail or telephone orders, Friday per bunch..... 25c

BARGAIN TABLE, MAIN FLOOR.

Beef, Iron and Wine a Bottle 49c.

An unexcelled spring tonic and system regulator of fresh beef juice and California wines and a bottle which sells regularly at 75c. Offered as a Friday surprise.. 49c

$1 Natural Shantung Pongee at 85c.

This is our own importation in the natural Pongee color unfinished as it comes from the loom; is of a good weight, 27 inches wide and is most popular for traveling coats, traveling suits and shirt waist suits. An actual $1.00 value. Friday per yard..... 85c

French Corsets Worth Up to $12.50 at $2.50

On Sale at 9:30 A. M. Friday.

A sample line of genuine imported French corsets in staple models consisting of extreme length habit hip, high or medium bust; some have supporters on hip and front and are of fancy materials to correspond with corset. Some of these corsets lace up front; others are of 7 strips of fancy tape; while other materials are brocaded and striped silk, silk batiste, linen batiste and imported French coutil. Colorings gray and pink brocaded, light blue, yellow, black and pink or black blue and white. They are all boned with genuine whalebone; finished with wide fall of lace. Not a one worth less than $4.00 and many up to $12.50. Friday surprise, bargain table, main aisle..... $2.50

10c Linen Handkerchiefs at 5c.

Of good quality, neatly embroidered initial and well made. Actual 10c value. Friday surprise, each..... 5c

20c Handkerchiefs 15c.

Fine Swiss embroidered or all linen embroidered handkerchiefs, scalloped or hemstitched edges; pretty patterns. Choice assortment to select from. All 20c values at..... 15c

Bargain Table Specials.

No Mail or Telephone Orders.

$2.50 and $3 samples of fine Battenburg lace curtains at each..... 98c

75c sample Lace Curtain ends; pretty patterns, each..... 25c

Remnants of 72c German linen table damask; length 1 to 6 yds. at per yd..... 40c

10c real China pearl buttons; all sizes 2 dozen for..... 10c

3c fancy enameled toilet pins. Friday ten boxes for..... 10c

15c Embroideries, Yd. 10c

Cambric Embroidery Edges and Insertions-extra quality; nicely worked; choice patterns; open or close effects; widths up to 5 in. values up to 25c. Friday surprise a yard..... 10c

15 Lawn Yokings yd 65c

Allover tucked and lace striped Lawn Yokings of nice quality; Val. lace insertions; well made; are for sleeves, waists or yokes; 22 to 24 inches wide and worth up to $1. Friday surprise per yard..... 65c

$20 Tailored Suits at $10.

Just twenty of the suits which were advertised the other day at this price and certainly will not last longer than Friday's selling. They are tailor made; are of all wool Cheviot in the new "tobac" brown shade; have Eton jackets, Taffeta silk lined; trimmed with Persian bands; have kilted skirts unlined. Absolutely worth $20.00. Friday surprise..... $10.00

SECOND FLOOR.

Odd Lot of Glassware at 10c.

An assortment of odd pieces of glassware at about one-half regular value. Consist of 7-inch embossed pressed glass nappies, 7-inch fruit nappies, 8-inch handled nappies, tall footed creamers, engraved goblets, champagnes, clarets and wines; covered butters. Choice Friday... 10c

THIRD FLOOR

Odd Pieces of Glassware at 19c.

Another odd lot of glassware at about one half regular price consisting of ½ gal. water pitcher, 8-inch footed nappies, 8-inch berry bowls, 8-bottle castors, sugar shakers, rose bowls, engraved covered butters, water bottles, celery stands and oil bottles. Friday..... 19c

THIRD FLOOR.

Children's 25c Dresses at 15c.

An assortment of pretty Gingham dresses for little children 2 to 4 years. They are trimmed with beadies and embroidery; are nicely made and sell regularly at 25c. Friday surprise, no mail or telephone orders, choice..... 15c

SECOND FLOOR.

Women's $3 and $3.50 Shoes at $1.95.

Several lines comprising vici kid, patent kid and patent colt; military or Louis XV heels; toes plain or tipped; have turned or Goodyear welt soles; new stylish lasts and all sizes in the lines. Friday Surprise..... $1.95

BASEMENT.

35c and 50c Knit Underwear 25c.

A sample line of women's underwear; high neck, long sleeve or low neck, sleeveless vests; pants in knee or ankle length and some lace trimmed; also union suits, high neck, ankle neck or low neck, knee length. There are Lisles and cottons in the lot both heavy and light weight. Choice Friday per garment..... 25c

98c Floor Brushes at 49c.

A well made, serviceable floor brush; Brazilian bristles and can not be duplicated anywhere under 98c. A Friday surprise at 49c

65c and 75c Wash Tubs at 59c.

These are of heavy galvanized iron and we offer you the choice of the two largest sizes that sell at 65c and 75c, for the one day at..... 59c

FOURTH FLOOR.

Boys' $4.50 Suits $2.95

A special feature for Friday surprise are new Russian blouse suits with small notch collars and fancy silk ties to match; silk emblems worked on sleeve; have leather belts with gilt buckles and coats lined with Italian cloth. Pants are in Knickerbocker style with extension waist bands, tape bound seams; materials wool cheviots, plain or fancy mixtures; sizes 2½ to 6 years; actually worth $4.50; Friday surprise..... $2.95

SECOND FLOOR.

$1.00 Corsets 59c.

A lot of corsets of good grade Sateen. They are in black, drab or white. All of them are perfect goods and formerly sold at $1.00. Offered as a Friday surprise, choice..... 59c

SECOND FLOOR.

50c Combing Jackets at 25c.

Just the thing for boudoir uses. Are the genuine Bandana handkerchiefs trimmed with lace and ribbons. Worth 50c. Friday surprise 25c

SECOND FLOOR.

$2.50 Sateen Petticoats 98c.

An assortment of black mercerized petticoats made with plaited and corded flounces. Not a one in the lot has sold less than $1.49 and many of them worth $2.50. Offered as a Friday surprise, choice..... 98c

SECOND FLOOR.